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JAP GENERAL TO HANG

REDS AGREE TO DROP CHARGES OF BRITISH "DANGER TO PEACE"

RUSSIAN ACTION COMES AFTER HOT DEBATE IN UNO SECURITY COUNCIL

LONDON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Russia agreed tonight to drop her demands for security council action against the British in Greece—with the understanding that Britain would withdraw her troops there as soon as possible.

Russia had complained to the UNO that the presence of British troops in Greece endangered the peace.

The sudden modification in the Soviet stand came after another acrimonious exchange between the British and Soviet representatives, Ernest Bevin and Andrei Vishinsky, who first debated the question last Friday.

Charge Called "Lie."

Foreign Secretary Bevin declared the Soviet Vice Commissar lied when he charged British troops with protecting rightist forces in Greece. Edward R. Stettitius, Jr., the American delegate, moved to dismiss the charges, and both France and China, the remaining permanent members of the Security Council, supported Stettitius.

"The government of the United States is satisfied that there is no reasonable ground for a belief that the presence of British troops in Greece can be regarded as constituting a situation likely to endanger world peace and security," the U. S. delegate said.

"I propose that we thank the governments of Great Britain, the Soivet Union and Greece for their statements and that no further action be taken."

By such a decision, Stettinius said, "we are not imputing anything to Great Britain."

"It has not threatened international peace and security, in my opinion," he added.

Earlier, Bevin asserted:

"Mr. Vinshinsky says that our troops in Greece ar protecting the right—I give the lie to that."

He spoke after Vishinsky, in a 45-minute statement had challenged Bevin's frankness toward Russia in telling the Security Council last Friday that the "real danger" to world peace was Moscow propaganda against the British.

"Not Unfriendly"—Bevin.

"I'm not unfriendly toward Russia," Bevin said in his detailed rebuttal, delivered for the most part in a calm, slow voice. "I just want equal treatment."

He did not say what equality he had in mind.

Bevin declared that in the cnarge brought against Britain by Russia "the honor of my country and the British Commonwealth is involved."

He denied emphatically that Britain was in any way endangering the peace of the world and declared that if Vishinsky really believed it was, then Bevin should

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Tugboat Workers' Strike Cripples New York Trade

NEW YORK, Feb. 4—(AP)—A strike by 3,500 tugboat workers, supported by 35,000 longshoremen, tied up shipping in the vast New York harbor today and cut off a large portion of the city's food and fuel supplies.

The workmen, members of Local 333, United Marine Division of the AFL International Longshoremen's Association, officially left their jobs at 12:01 a. m. (EST) as the result of a wage dispute with the tugboat operators, organized as the New York Tugboat Exchange.

Joseph P. Ryan, President of the ILA, said the 35,000 longshoremen of the parent union would support the walkout by refusing to load or unload any ship which normally would be handled by the strikers.

Many Meetings Planned

Morning meetings were scheduled with both union and company officials by Edward C. Maguire, labor advisor to Mayor O'Dwyer, and William C. Liller of the U. S. concillation service, in an attempt to settle the strike.

The union itself planned a membership meeting for 2 p. m. (CST).

Troopships, returning GI's home from abroad, will not be affected. They will be serviced by Army tugs. Navy tugs are not afected.

In Washington, Federal seizure was seen as a possibility in the

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CAPT. SAFFORD—Capt. L. F. Safford (above) head of Navy Far East Intelligence, tells the Pearl Harbor investigating committee in Washington that he was ordered by superiors to destroy all notes he had made of circumstances concerning interception and delivery of Japanese messages which he said gave the Army and Navy 72 hours advance warning of the Jap. Dec. 7, 1941 attack. (AP Wirephoto)

Safford Gives Way At Picking Persons 'Destroyed Records'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Naval Captain L. F. Safford, reversing his previous Pearl Harbor testimony, said today "I have no suspicion against any individual" as to high command violation of laws against destroying public records.

Earlier in the day, Safford had testified that "suspicion exists" in his mind that Gen. George C. Marshall and Adm. Harold R. Stark had so broken the law.

The question at issue was whether copies of a "winds code" message which Safford said gave Washington a three-day tipoff of the Japanese attack on December 7, 1941, was received here and later destroyed.

Changes His Answer.

Under questioning by Senator Lucas (D-Ill) of the "Senate-House" committee, Safford said he did not suspect responsibility for destruc-

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THREATENED STRIKE IN CHILE FAILS TO MATERIALIZE TODAY

By VAUGHN M BRYANT

SANTIAGO, Chile, Feb. 4—(AP)—Activities in Chile appeared outwardly normal today, three hours after the deadline of a scheduled general strike.

Socialist labor leaders withdrew their support at the last minute, splitting the once-united labor front. Communist leaders insisted that the strike go as scheduled.

Workers, as usual, crowded trolleys, buses and trains. Gas still flowed through the mains. Light, water and telephone services were not affected.

Soldiers Ride Trolleys

Carabineros with rifles and steel helmets stood at the front and back door of the streetcars, implementing the promise of full protection made by Vice Adm. Vicente Merinos, minister of the interior.

Roberto Perez Nunez, Socialist

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Labor Bill Stands Test; Truman Sees Key Men

SURPRISE MOVE TO TOSS PLAN OUT OF HOUSE VOTED DOWN

PRELIMINARY TEST SAID TO INDICATE LAW'S FINAL FATE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. (AP)—The house rejected 130 to 42 today a sudden, surprise move to kill all labor degislation pending before it.

The attempt was made by Rep. Celler (D-NY) in a proffered amendment to a sweeping strike control measure by Rep Case (R-SD.)

In effect, the Celler motion was to strike out the entire bill.

Celler had told the house 'this gives you an opportunity to defeat all this hasty, bad legislation."

The Case measure would set up a national mediation board with power to step into major labor disputes and forbid strikes or lockouts for 30 days.

Injunction Plan Proposed.

To help the board, Case would permit wider use of court injunctions against either labor or management; outlaw violence in picketing or organized boycotts, and provide for civil suits against either side breaking a contract.

Members said the preliminary tests on amendments to eliminate one or more of those provisions will indicate clearly how the house will go when the bill itself comes to a showdown vote tomorrow or Wednesday.

Leaders insist privately they still expect the measure to

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ESQUIRE WINS ROW WITH POST OFFICE OVER VARGA GIRLS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4. (AP)—The supreme court today struck down a postoffice department attempt to bar Esquire magazine and its lightly clad ladies from use of second class mail.

Justice Douglas delivered the high court's 8-0 decision. Justice Jackson took no part in the case.

Douglas said:

"To withdraw the second class rate from this publication today because its contents seemed to one official not good for the public would sanction withdrawal of the second class rate tomorrow from another periodical whose social or economic views seemed harmful to another official."

Congress, Douglas added, "has left the postmaster general with no power to prescribe standards for the literature or the art which a mailable periodical disseminates."

"Censorship" Denied.

Douglas said an examination of the items in Esquire about which complaints had been made "makes plain, we think, that the controversy is not whether the magazine published 'information of a public character' or is devoted to 'litera-

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Scathing Denunciation Of Apathetic Attitude Shown Juvenile Delinquency Here

By PAUL MOORE
Daily Sun Staff

Dedicating his efforts and talents to helping the boys and girls of the community who need guidance, Rev. Jack Goff, pastor of the Northside Baptist church Sunday night outlined a recreational, educational and religious plan for the youths who have made mistakes or may make mistakes. He castigated the home, parents, church and society in general for the juvenile problem, and paid his respects to law enforcement agencies in some cases after praising Judge A. P. Mays who "has respect for the home and a feeling for the boy and girl who has gone wrong." Church members came in for scathing rebukes as did others in a position to lend a helping hand to the youngster "from the wrong side of the tracks."

The auditorium of the church was filled despite inclement and adverse weather conditions.

Ticket To Hell.

The text discussed was entitled "A Ticket to Hell or a Pass to Heaven," and a quotation from Romans, 6th chapter, "The Wages of Sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life" provided the scripture lesson for the discussion and sermon.

In the beginning of his sermon, the minister said that the Daily Sun was behind the movement to help the youngsters, and then asserted than any statements he made from his pulpit could be proven.

The speaker declared that it was not his intention to tell parents how to rear their children, and then launched into an explanation and detailed resume of his being called in by the Courts of this county to help those boys and girls "given a last chance" following infractions of the law. He said he welcomed his duty to encourage and help fallen humanity, maintain morals and promote the welfare of souls. He declared that everyone should love his fellowman if he has any respect for the laws of God, nature, or the nation, and the minister also emphasized that anyone with enough manhood should come out in the open and take a stand.

Juvenile Courts.

Turning to his work in the juvenile courts, the minister said he was glad that Judge Mays thought enough of his character to give him a chance to help the youngsters. (Several juveniles have been paroled to the Rev. Mr. Goff by the district judge.)

"God put such a man as Mays

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M. C. DERDEN IS DEAD AS RESULT INJURIES IN HIGHWAY ACCIDENT

J. HARRY BURKE CRITICALLY HURT; WESLEY PRYOR IN WACO HOSPITAL

One person was fatally injured and four others were hurt in separate auto mishaps in Navarro county during the week-end and three Corsicanans were hurt in a head-on collision in Waco early Sunday.

M. C. Derden, about 42, of White's Chapel, died in the P. and S. Hospital about noon Monday from injuries sustained in an accident on Highway 22 northwest of Corsicana Sunday night. Derden and a nephew, Archie B. Derden, were walking along the pavement a short distance from where they had stopped their car when the accident occurred. The younger man escaped with minor injuries and was not hospitalized. Deputy Sheriff Bill Lee investigated the acident. Irvin McGraw of Blooming Grove was reported the driver of the car involved in the accident and went to the county jail after Derden had been sent to the hospital and reported the mishap.

Second 1946 Fatality

Derden's death is the second auto fatality in Navarro county in 1946.

Funeral serivces will be held at the Dresden church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in the Dresden cemetery. McCammon Funeral Home is directing arrangements.

Surviving are his father, J. P. Derden; four brothers, Archie, Percy, Riley and Secile Derdeen, all of Corsicana, two sisters, Mrs. Lois Sykes, Powell, and Mrs. Bertha Reeves, Frost, and other relatives.

Harry Burke Injured

J. Harry Burke, oil man and rancher, a former city commissioner and mayor pro tem, is in a critical condition at the Navarro clinic. Wesley Pryor of Corsicana is in a serious condition in the Providence hospital in Waco

Burke was injured late Saturday afternoon on Highway 31 several miles southwest of Corsicana when a pick-up truck and trailer overturned. Burke and O. M. Rector, Corsicana, were en route to Corsicana from Rector's ranch on the highway at the time of the accident. A bull was being brought to Corsicana in a trailer. The trailer hitch became unfastened, leaving only the safety chain pull-

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Meeting Called Discuss Proposed Ceramics Plant

A meeting of committees working to bring a proposed $1,050,000 ceramics plant to Corsicana has been called for 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in the Chamber of Commerce offices by Joe E. Butler, chairman of the industrial committee.

"We want to know definitely whether we're going to get the $150,000 which is needed to bring the new industry to Corsicana," Butler said. "If we are able to go through with our part of the deal, we are sure it will be consumated successfully."

Another pledge of $5,000, this by the Lone Star Gas Co. was announced Monday morning by Butler. This brings the total amount pledged to $58,000, little more than one-third of the necessary $150,000.

SCHWELLENBACH AND MURRAY CALLED IN; "TALKED OF STEEL"

GOVERNMENT ACTION, PROBABLY ON PRICE, EXPECTED THIS WEEK

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—President Truman held a hurriedly-called conference with Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach and CIO President Philip Murray today in a renewed White House effort to end the steel strike deadlock.

Neither Schwellenbach nor Murray would comment as they emerged from the half hour session, which began at the unusually early hour of 9:30 a.m., but the labor secretary said:

"We came out smiling."

Murray, who also is head of the CIO United Steel Workers, said only to reporters:

Government Is Hopeful

"The president asked me to come over to talk with him about the steel situation."

"Whatever is said has got to come from him," Murray added.

Asked if he was optimistic for a settlement, he said merely "I'm forever an optimist."

Administration sources appeared to be becoming more cheerful again about prospects for a break in the deadlock between Murray's union and the steel companies.

Immediately after the conference, White House aides announced that OPA Administrator Chester Bowles would see the president at 3:30 this afternoon. Bowles has been holding out for a $2.50 a ton increase in steel prices, while

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Agreement Near In Another Auto Wage Dispute, Not In GM

DETHOIT, Feb. 4.—(AP)—An agreement on wage and contract differences between the CIO United Auto Workers (CIO) and the Briggs Manufacturing Co. (affecting 12,000 workers) was reported near today as James F. Dewey, federal mediator, returned to Detroit to direct a resumption of negotiations between the union and General Motors.

A Briggs spokesman said announcement of an agreement might be made tonight. When negotiations were begun last week, the UAW-CIO said it would seek an agreement with Briggs "in line with the 18 1-2 cents an hour increase given by Chrysler Corp."

Dewey on his return here today from Washington said he had made a full report to Secretary Schwellenbach on the 76-day GM strike.

GH and the union apparently were still in disagreement as to what issues will be discussed first as Dewey arranged for the fourth meeting of the negotiators this afternoon.

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WRITER DEAD—E. Phillips Oppenheim, popular spy and mystery fiction writer for more than a half century, died at his St. Peter Port home yesterday at the age of 79, the Associated Press reported today from London.

MAYOR FAVORS CITY PLANNING COMMITTEE TO CHART PROGRAM

CALHOUN SAYS MASS MEETING BE CALLED IN NEXT THIRTY DAYS

Formation of a city planning committee to work with the city Commission in planning Corsicana's future is to take place within the next 30 days, according to Mayor John C. Calhoun.

Comprised of representatives from all professions and all walks of life, the committee is "to assist in thought and suggestion in planning Corsicana's future," he said.

"The address brought before the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce by Beauford H. Jester, Railroad Commissioner and a citizen of Corsicana, was most timely in every respect," Mayor Calhoun stated. "His 22 suggestions for improving and developing our city were all well within our ability to put into effect. They can all be accomplished over a period not exceeding five years if we set our hands to the task and all work together."

Plans Meeting.

Mayor Calhoun's most immediate plan of action is to call together a group of citizens representing a full cross-section of commercial, professional and civic interests of the city. These will include representatives of the Senior and Junior Chambers of Commerce, Retail Merchants Association, business and Professional Women's Club and other women's organizations, the board of education, doctors, ministers, lawyers, organized labor, the press and any other group or individual interested in the welfare of the city.

"At a mass meeting of these representative citizens, a smaller group can be selected to be known as a Planning Committee to work with the city commission," Mayor Calhoun said.

Up to Committee.

"Rather than give any personal views concerning the other suggestions made by Mr. Jester, I think it is better that the Planning Committee consider them and reach an agreement on how, when and what will be undertaken and decide upon a plan to finance these improvements," the mayor continued.

Expressing optimism for Corsi-

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SUPREME COURT NOT TO SAVE YAMASHITA FROM DEATH VERDICT

DECISION MEANS JAP WAR CRIMINAL LOSES LAST CHANCE TO LIVE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4—(AP)—The Supreme Court refused today to save Japanese General Yamashita from death on the gallows.

Chief Justice Stone delivered the Supreme Court's 6-2 decision. Justice Jackson, now acting as Chief U. S. prosecutor in the Nazi trials in Europe, had no part in Yamashita's case. Justices Murphy and Rutledge dissented.

The court overruled Yamashita on all points.

Stone's 7,000 word opinion declared:

Order Ruled Lawful

"It appears that the order conveying the commission (of five genrals who tried Yamashita) was a lawful order, that the commision was lawfully constituted, that petitioner (Yamashita) was charged with violation of the law of war and that the commission had authority to proceed with the trial, and in doing so did not violate any military, statutory or constitutional command."

Yamashita was convicted by the American Military commission in Manila of condoning uncounted atrocities by his invading troops in the Philippines.

The enemy general was the first Pacific war leader to be tried as a war criminal. In appealing to the Supreme Court he contended that the military commission did not have authority to try him.

Contentions "Without Merit"

"We have considered but find it unnecessary to discuss other contentions (by Yamashita) which we find to be without merit."

Last December 7—on the fourth anniversary of Pearl Harbor— the military commission in Manila de-

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HOMMA NOT MILITARY BUT "DESK" GENERAL SAYS JAP WITNESS

MANILA, Feb. 4.—(AP)—The propaganda section of the Japanese army considered Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma more of a desk general than a field commander, a top Nipponese censor testified at the general's crimes trial today.

The witness was Teiji Ikeda. He said he supervised censorship and assignment of Japanese correspondents in the field.

Ikeda said Homma never inspected battelments or personnel on the Bataan area even after the Japanese victory, "so far as I know."

The former commander of the Philippines probably will be called

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Truman Said "Very Satisfied" With New Jobs Bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Senate Majority Leader Burkley of Kentucky said today that President Truman seems to be "very well satisfied" with a substitute for his "full employment" bill now awaiting congressional action.

The substitute measure, on which senate and house conferees have agreed, merely declares it to be the "continuing policy and responsibility" of the federal government to "promote" maximum employment, production and purchasing power.

It does not include the phrase "full employment."

Barkley said he had no reason to expect the president would veto the compromise, which he said will be taken up in the house first, about the middle of the week.

Barkley made his comments to reporters after President Truman's weekly conference with his congressional leaders. Other participants were Senator McKellar (D-Tenn), temporary president of the senate; House Speaker Rayburn and House Majority Leader McCormack (D-Mass.)

The conference, which lasted an hour, did not touch on the steel strike, Barkley said, although in reply to a reporter's question as to whether the president was optimistic about the labor situation, he asserted:

"He seemed to be hopeful."

CONNECTICUT, NEW YORK TOWNS PROTEST CHOICE AS UNO SITE; FEAR THEY MUST VACATE HOMES

By JAMES H. PORTERFIELD

GREENWICH, Conn., Feb. 4.—(AP)—This normally peaceful Connecticut community, its nearby hills dotted with homes of many wealthy New York City lawyers, bankers and business men, was in turmoil today over its inclusion in the site recommended for the United Nations world capital.

An estimated one-third of the town of Greenwich lies in the 42 square miles of Connecticut and Westchester county, N. Y., countryside rated No. 1 by the UNO site inspection committee which returned to London yesterday to report to the general assembly on the proposed location for permanent UNO headquarters.

New York Towns Protest

Protests also came from some of the New York state communities affected, especially the 200-year-old town of North Castle, all of whose 1,000 inhabitants live in the proposed site.

A less vociferous group, among them a representative of Greenwich shopkeepers, declared the choice bestowed a high honor to the community.

Originally, the move to interest the UNO in this region was initiated by a group of Stamford, Conn., residents who asked Kingsley Gillespie, publisher of the Stamford Advocate, to sound out public opinion on the matter.

All Approve UNO

Opponents were unanimous in declaring that they were not fighting the United Nations organization, and that they wholeheartedly endorsed the UNO principles.

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DEGAULLE'S RESIGNATION SEEN AS FIRST MOVE IN GRAND COUP DESIGNED TO GAIN MORE POWER

By DeWITT MACKENXIE
AP World Traveler.

PARIS, Feb. 4.—Gen. Charles De Gaulle's resignation as president of France and his "retirement" present an intensely interesting political situation, for there is widespread belief among observers that the general merely intends to lie doggo until the new constitution is adopted next June.

Now that's not such an odd thing as it might seem at first glance. As a matter of fact, the general appears to be in process of trying to execute a grand coup of which his "retirement" is the strategic keystone.

On thumbnail, the situation is this:

France's economic position is a matter of grave concern, for she has just about hit bottom. Her recovery calls for strong governmental action involving long-term policies. But these strong, long-term policies are denied to the present government by the fact that its life can run only to June, when a new constitution will be adopted and another government will come into power.

The corollary to this is that the present government has small chance of achieving the sweeping economic betterment for which the heart of every Frenchman is crying. The leader of the government may arrive at election time with a heavy black mark against his name in the public mind.

The man in the street will be inclined to overlook the handicaps, and will see only the fact that life for him and his family is the same grim struggle it was

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DEMOCRATIC LEADER ASKS END OF FEPC FILIBUSTER; DEMAND FOR DEBATE LIMITATION FILED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Democratic Leader Barkley (Ky) today asked the senate to end the filibuster against the Fair Employment practices bill.

He filed a petition for cloture (debate limitation) signed by 48 senators.

Senator Russell (D-Ga), a leader of the Southern senators who have tied the senate up in a filibuster since January 17, promptly protested this was "not in order."

The key that may unlock the senate's EPC filibuster began to take definite shape today.

It is the $5,600,000,000 independent offices appropriation bill, on which the senate appropriations committee may complete work Wednesday.

When the big money bill thus is cleared to the senate floor for action, the argument that the Fair Employment Practice Commission

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SEARCHERS TO MAKE LAST TRIP UP PEAK FOR SOLDIER'S BODY

ELK MOUNTAIN, Wyo., Feb. 4—(AP)—A weary party of blizzard-battered searchers prpared today to work its way up the treacherous, ice-encrusted side of Elk Mountain in an effort to recover the body of a soldier—last of the 21 victims killed when a United Airlines Transport crashed into the peak early Thursday.

The hardy band of searchers, led by ranchman Henry Cheesebrough, recovered three of the bodies late yesterday, bringing to 20 the number of victims brought down the icy mountain trail.

Housing Bill Is Due Tuesday

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—The House Banking committee today rejected a Republican proposal to strike from proposed housing legislation provisions for expanding home price control and to eliminate payment of subsidies for production of building materials.

The action, on a 11 to9 party line vote, came on an amendment offered by Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich) to a far-reaching housing bill by Rep. Patman (D-Tex.)

Committeemen said the vote did not necessarily mean that the housing legislation, when finally drawn by the committee, would include broadened price and subsidy provisions. Chairman Spence (D-Ky) said he hoped the committee would be able to turn out a complete bill tomorrow.

The committee also rejected an amendment by Rep. Hull (Prog-Wis) that would have banned any export of building materials.

The Patman bill would extend price ceilings to cover old as well as new houses, and set up a broad subsidy system to encourage building materials production. It also would continue building materials allocation powers and set up an office of housing stabilization.

Before the committee met, Rep. Patman said that the Republican proposal "makes a political issue out of homes for vetrans."

Saying he was convinced of the necessity for both price control and subsidies, the Texan added: "I want private enterprise to do the job, but if we don't get results there's going to be a tremendous demand that the government itself build houses for veterans."

Materials Said "Catch."

In his statement, Rep. Wolcott of Michigan declared that neither

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"U. S. Wasted Gas"--Texan

By HUGH WILLIAMSON

HOUSTON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—R. C. Kay of Amarillo testified during the Federal Power Commission gas hearing today that, "I can remember when, during the war, the two most noticeable gas flares in the Texas Panhandle were at the U. S. Bureau of Mines (Helium) plant."

Kay, who is president of the Panhandle Producers and Royalty association, chuckled as he gave this answer to a question about wastage of gas directed to him by counsel for the commission.

"There is no waste of dry or casinghead gas in the Panhandle," Kay said, adding that various acts of the state legislature and regulations of the State Railroad Commission outlawed such waste about 10 years ago.

A large part of the gas that was formerly wasted, Kay declared, is now utilized in the manufacture of carbon black.

The hearing, which is one of a series being held to gather information as to whether additional federal legislation is needed with respect to natural gas, was resumed today after a week-end recess.

Kay was to be followed on the witness stand by D. A. Huley of Dallas, president of the Lone Star Gas company; and L. T. Potter of Dallas, production superintendent of the same company.

Cross examination of Railroad Commissioner Beauford Jester is also to be held if Jester can attend today's hearing.

Kay, like other witnesses who testified last week, argued against extension of federal control over natural gas affairs, giving as his opinion that the Texas Railroad Commission is enforcing conservation regulation "more efficiently

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Corley Installed Head Corsicana C of C; Jester Urges Future Building

By KATHERYN PATE
Daily Sun Staff.

Corsicana, birthplace of the oil industry west of the Mississippi river, and home of other good, sound industries, was offered 22 constructive suggestions for future development and improvement by a native son last night.

It was Beauford Jester, state railroad commissioner, home from the state capitol, addressing 350 leading citizens at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet in the Senior High school cafeteria, who called for "steady, permanent growth—not boom prosperity."

Many who assembled for the annual event culminating the Chamber of Commerce year, expected to hear an announcement of the former Corsicana lawyer's gubernatorial aspirations, but no announcement was forthcoming. Toastmaster Joe E. Butler made the only reference of the evening to Jester's possible candidacy, when he introduced the speaker. "We're so proud of his record," Butler said, "that we're hoping we'll have an opportunity to elevate him later on in the year."



PRESIDENT—John R. Corley, new president of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce, was installed Thursday night at the annual banquet of the organization. He succeeds Will Thompson. Other officers include H. M. Montgomery, and N. Suttle Roberts, vice presidents; B. Lynn Sanders, treasurer, and E. C. Mueller, manager. Joe E. Butler was toastmaster.



SPEAKER—Beauford H. Jester, member of the Texas Railroad Commission, offered 22 suggestions for building the Corsicana of the future in his address—"Corsicana, Its Past, Present and Future"—at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night attended by 350 alert and progressive men and women. Jester is being prominently mentioned as a candidate for governor.

22 Suggestions.

Jester's plan of civic development encompassed 22 steps and called for a City Planning committee, which he termed a "must." He also urged creation of a Civic Development Fund, to be used in acquiring new industries and industrial plants.

Two program participants, President Will Thompson of the Chamber of Commerce, and Sadie Ransom, secretary to Jester were unable to attend. Thompson's annual report was given by W. P. McCammon, chairman of the arrangements committee for the banquet.

Corley Takes Office.

John R. Corley officially took office as president of the Chamber of Commerce, succeeding Thompson, and in a brief message asked for "whole-hearted support and co-operation in order that we may realize the opportunities which are before us."

"In the period of reconversion and industrial expansion which lies ahead, Corsicana has equal opportunities as any other community," Corley pointed out. "The Corsicana Chamber of Commerce must pull and all of you must push if we are to go forward."

Also taking office were H. M. Montgomery, first vice president; N. Suttle Roberts, second vice president; B. Lynn Sanders, treasurer, and E. C. Mueller, manager and secretary.

C. of C. Directors.

Directors announced by Toastmaster Butler included O. L. Albritton, Hubert Braselton, Ralph R. Brown, Mayor John C. Calhoun, S. L. Dublin, A. F. Mitchell, Montgomery, Festus Pierce, R. S. Reading, Will Thompson, Sidney Brietz, T. L. Carlisle, J. L. Collins, Corley, J. M. Dyer, F. H. Harvey, Jr., Sanders, Roberts, W. C. Stroube and Joe Wolens. Butler, too, is a director.

"I have served as president of the Chamber of Commerce during a period that has brought about many changes in the conditions of world affairs," Thompson's report said. "During the past two years we have lived under wartime conditions, as well as peacetime conditions. All of the major problems of the world are by no means settled, but we are making progress in solving problems that will affect all of us."

Home Problems.

Problems here at home were enumerated in Thompson's report, problems which have been solved in the past and problems which face the community in the future. "This has been a successful year in obtaining new members," the report revealed. "We have the largest membership in the history of our Chamber of Commerce, but we need many more members, and a larger budget, because as our membership has increased, so have the duties and services of the organization increased.

Appreciates Honor.

"I want to say thank you for the honor and privilege of serving the Chamber of Commerce as its president the past two years and ask your full co-operation for my successor, the office staff and the directors, and I am confident that we will realize many accomplishments during the year ahead," the report concluded. Thompson was unable to be present because of illness.

Guests at the speakers' table, in addition to program participants, were Mrs. George T. Jester, mother of the speaker; Mrs. Beauford Jester, Rep. John Peter Stubbs of Wortham, and Rep. J. R. Donnell of Corsicana.

Guests Introduced.

Business men and Chamber of Commerce officials from surrounding cities and towns were introduced by E. C. Mueller, managar of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce.

The guests included E. P. Speer, John T. Wade and William Niebuhr, Dallas; A. J. McKinney, M. C. Strange, Jesse Weaver and Representative Stubbs, all of Wortham; G. H. Wilemon Charles Reese, Jack W. Poff, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Seale, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Westbrook, Joe Sheppard and Joe Sheppard, Jr., all of Kerens; F. H. Carney, Lester Levy, M. K. Ghrist, John C. Young and Sid Dobbins, all of Waco; Jimmie Blair and Raymond Dillard of Mexia; Jack Aukins of Austin; James Harvey and Roy Connally of Waxahachie, and Henry Spraggins, traveling industrial agent for the Cotton Belt Railroad, Dallas.

Mueller also presented Snead Hamilton, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, who in turn, introduced members of his organization in attendance.

Traced City's History.

These business and civic leaders from a wide area heard Jester tell of Corsicana's "glorious past, present and future." He traced the city's history and development back to its beginnings in 1848, referring to economic, social, cultural, religious, educational and civic strides. Many who were present last night, heard their names and their parents' names called during the discourse.

"Corsicana began with the right kind of people," Jester said. "The character of its citizenship has not changed through the years. Two oil booms failed to change for long, if at all, the character of Corsicana as a city."

Strong Leadership.

"Strong, sound civic leadership, the willingness of competent men and women to upbuild a city, is an indispensable quality in a city that refuses to stagnate and stand still, and that believes in making better things at the present time and plans bigger and better things for the future," the speaker declared.

"We must utilize the assets and resources that we have and make them more productive," he continued. Jester believes there are oil and gas reservoirs beneath Navarro county yet undiscovered, and he reiterates the possibilities offered by Corsicana's hot artesian water.

"What Corsicana will be in the future is largely our responsibility," Jester told the gathering. "It will be the result of how well we plan and act."

Musical Program.

The musical portion of the program was given by Harold Blankinship, vocalist, accompanied by Mrs. Lyman Barnes, who sang "On the Road to Mandalay," (Speaks), and "Absent," (Metcalf.)

Invocation was offered by the Rev. Robert Q. Kennaugh, rector of St. John's Episcopal church. McCammon expressed thanks at the conclusion of the program to all who had assisted in making the banquet a success.

A large United States flag formed the background for the speakers' table, and a United States and Texas flag were at each end. The centerpiece was an arrangement of red and white carnations. Red and white tapers were on all the tables, and Valentines bearing verses calling for civic enterprise were scattered up and down the tables, interspersed with runners of greenery and fern. Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club were in charge of decorations.

An annual report for 1941, prepared by the Chamber of Commerce, was at each place. These contained a message from the president and reports from standing committees, enumerating activities during the past year.

Complete text of Mr. Jester's address will be found on page 3.

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W. R. HAY SUCCEEDS DOWELL WILSON POST HEAD CAGE MENTOR

JUNIOR HIGH TEACHER VETERAN OF ARMY AIR FORCES, LETTERMAN

William R. Hay has been elevated to the position of head basketball coach at Senior High school and assumed his new duties Wednesday, according to W. H. Norwood, superintendent of city schools.

Dowell Wilson, formerly head coach of basketball and coach of the football "B" squad, resigned Friday in order to accept a position as head football coach at Matador High school. Effective Monday, Otis Pederson will join the teaching staff of the Senior High school and serve as coach of the "B" football squad.

A teacher in the Junior High school, coming here in October, Hay recently received his discharge from the Army Air Forces in which he served as military pilot. A senior at Abilene Christian College, he entered the army in 1943 as an aviation cadet, receiving the remainder of his degree work by correspondence. In 1944 the degree of Bachelor of Science was awarded him with a major in business administration.

While in school, the Abilene native lettered in basketball wour years and was all-Texas conference in his junior and senior years. At the time of his discharge he was a second lieutenant and flying aerial gurner at Laredo Army Air Field. At present, his duty as head coach will be for the remainder of the season.

Wilson, a graduate of East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce, first came to Corsicana in 1942. In 1943 he returned to his native Oklahoma, coming back to Navarro county in 1944 to the position he held until resigning.

Pederson, a graduate of North Texas State Teachers College, comes to the local schools with a high recommendation from Jack Sisco, head coach of the college. A 1940 graduate, he has a Bachelor of Science degree and has taught here previous to entering naval service.

A Junior High school teacher, he was associated here from 1941 to 1942, at which time he left for the navy. At Senior High school he will instruct physical education and biology. A native of Clifton, he has had in addition two years experience in Bosque county schools.

Sgt. Joe B. Warner Home On Furlough

Sgt. Joe B. Warner, army medical corps, is home on a ninety day furlough, received upon a re-enlistment at the New York Port of Embarkation on January 27. He is visiting his father, Albert Warner, 2013 West Thirteenth Avenue.

Entering service in March, 1943, he went overseas on October 26, 1943 and was stationed in Australia with the medical transportation corps. Returning to this country in April, 1944, Warner was assigned to a troop transport and made a trip to England, departing on May 2 from New York, which is his home station.

Arriving in Corsicana January 31, Sgt. Warner is entitled to wear the American, Asiatic-Pacific and European theater of operation ribbons, Good Conduct and Victory ribbons.

LOCAL DRAFT BOARD MEMBERS BE HONORED AT MEXIA TUESDAY

Military ceremonies are scheduled in Mexia Tuesday at which selective service personnel and appeal agents will receive medals and critificates for the uncompensated service they rendered to the country during wartime mobilization. The Mexia meeting will be for eight counties, including Navarro county.

Speakers will include Carl Canson, Groesbeck; District Judge Les Smith, Teague; Tom Tyson, Corsicana; Sam Bain, Centerville, and W. C. Quick, Palestine. Hill, Falls and Houston county speakers have not been announced.

Included in those to be honored are:

Corsicana Board No. 1—Sidney K. Brietz, A. B. Douglass, Jr., W. T. McKee, A. P. Mays, district judge, and R. R. Owen.

Corsicana Board No. 2—O. L. Albritton, Otis M. Rector, Riley Rogers, Norris Lovett and C. E. McWilliams.

To be eligible for an award, a draft board member must have served for a minimum of two years, it was explained.

RECIPES FOR USE OF GIBLETS MAIN DISH SUGGESTED

The giblets are some of the least appreciated yet most valuable parts of chicken or turkey, says Vera Sneed, County Home Demonstration Agent. Too many home cooks know only of their use in giblet gravy and do not realize their possibilities for delicious main dishes. Chicken or turkey livers especially offer rich value in iron and all vitamins. Some retail markets today sell giblets—hearts, livers and gizzards together—or livers alone by the pound. Giblets also are canned.

In preparing giblets Miss Sneed says, an important point to remember is that gizzards and hearts need long slow cooking by simmering to make them tender, but livers are tender to begin with, so need only brief cooking. In general, gizzards and hearts of older birds take about twice as long to cook as those of young birds. Giblets cook more quickly if they are cut in pieces first.

Miss Sneed suggests that an excellent dish to serve 5 or 6 people is braised giblets and mushrooms. It calls for only 1 pound of giblets and 1-2 pound of fresh mushrooms or a small tin of canned mushrooms.

To prepare, separate gizzards and hearts from livers. Cut all the meat in small pieces, sprinkle with salt, pepper and flour, and brown in fat. The cut-up gizardzs and hearts should then be covered with water and simmered in a covered pan until tender—1 1-2 to 3 hours. The cut-up liver needs no further cooking.

Remove the giblets from the pan. Cut up fresh mushrooms and cook 5 to 10 minutes in the pan drippings left by the giblets. Remove the mushrooms and add to the cooked giblets. If canied mushroom are used, they need no cooking. Add them to the giblets and save the liquid in the can for the gravy.

Add enough water, milk or mushroom juice to the pan to make 3 cups of liquid. Skim off fat from the top. Make the gravy by stirring into the liquid 4 to 6 tablespoons each of flour and fat, blended together. Cook and stir until the liquid thickens. Then add the cooked giblets and mushrooms. Heat thoroughly. Serve the mixture hot on toast or with hot fluffy boiled rice.

Streetman Students Entertained By PTA

Ninety students of the Streetman school were entertained by members of the Parent-Teacher Association with a youth night party last Friday evening at the school.

Members of the entertainment committee were Mrs. H. Lee, Miss Mary E. McGilvery, Mrs. Homer Fullerton, Jr., Mrs. John Gilbert, Mrs. John E. Simms and Mrs. Joe O'Neil. On the refreshment committee were Mrs. Bill Hassen, Mrs. Roy Miller, Mrs. Ernest Bonner, Mrs. Pete Carroll and Mrs. Pat Cooper.

The Board of Christian Education will meet in regular session at Eleventh Avenue Methodist church tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

ROUTINE MATTERS OCCUPIED SESSION OF COMMISSIONERS

SALE OF POW BUILDINGS AT AUCTION FEB. 14, ORDERED BY COURT

Routine matters were considered at the regular meeting of the commissioners court Friday morning with monthly claims allowed except as noted on the claim docket. All members were present.

An easement was granted Marion Simpson to install a water line on the Boulevard, West Ninth avenue extended, with the provision that any ditches or holes caused be filled by Simpson.

POW Buildings

Mayor John C. Calhoun of Corsicana discussed with the court the disposition of two buildings located on his property immediately east of the city limits, formerly used as the prisoner of war camp. The buildings originally were located at the county farm in the Petty's Chapel community and were moved to the camp to be used in that project. The prisoner of war camp was discontinued in December. An order was passed to sell the buildings at auction, Friday Feb. 15, 1946, at 2 p.m., to the highest bidder. (The City of Corsicana recently sold a building on the same premises).

Deputy Approved

The application of E. B. Dawson, district clerk, for the appointment of Miss Euneva Herod of Richland, as deputy was approved at a salary on the basis of $115 per month, with a $5 per month increase until $140 is reached, was approved.

The application of Mrs. Mabla Wilkinson, county clerk, for the appointment of Marie Orr as an extra deputy at a salary of $95 per month was allowed. Another extra recording part time deputy was allowed.

Call for payment of $2,000 optional bonds in Navarro County Road District 12, March 1, was issued.

B. M. Eller, recently of Bowie county, was introduced as the successor of Ezell McClellan, county negro home demonstration agent. McClelland left Friday afternoon for Fort Worth where she will be Tarrant county agent.

The application of L. L. Powell, county judge, for the appointment of Mrs. Paul Moore as secretary in his office during the time Miss Mary Jane Etter is away on a leave of absence, at a salary of $120 per month was approved.

Leasing Is Active In Navarro County

Assignment of sixty five oil, gas, and mineral leases by Ted Weiner to Ryan Consolidated Petroleum company was filed with the county clerk Thursday.

A total amount of 7,480.93 acres, more or less, was transferred to the company. Sixty five tracts entered into the assignment, lying in the Hiram Bush, Berry, Kane, Dixon, Henry H. Horn, Oliver, Shelton, Parson, Edmondson and other surveys in Navarro county.

ANNUAL MEETING OF 30 FARM OWNERSHIP FAMILIES TUESDAY

Thirty Farm Ownership families of Navarro county will gather at the Educational Building of the Eleventh Avenue Methodist church Tuesday, February 5th, for their annual educational meeting.

These families comprise the group of farmers who are buying their farms through the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, which was intitated by Congress to enable tenant farmers to become farm owners.

Discussions will be led by Lennox O. Wright, FSA Supervisor on such topics as comparison of records of the group over the past two years. 'Looking Toward 1946" will form the basis for discussion of ways to increase the cash income on the farm.

Mrs. Irene E. Deupree, County FSA Home Supervisor, will lead an exhibit showing "A Balanced Diet for One Person for One Day."

Ways and means of developing a better balanced farm home program, will also be discussed by Mrs. Deupree stressing the importance of producing and using an adequate supply of foods that can be grown on the farm. The results of full production of food will show up in better health, greater savings, more security, and increased happiness for the family.

Special features of the program will be the presentation of films showing the values of conserving the soil, and one on Home Storage of Food. Wright has arranged exhibits showing the value of humus in the soil and will demonstrate the inoculation of legume seed to the group.

Each family will bring a basket lunch which will be spread at the noon hour.

The county FSA personnel are very proud of the progress these families are making in paying for their farms. Three of the families paid $1000 on their farms during 1945. None of the group are behind schedule with their payments.

BUILDINGS DAMAGED BY TORNADO AT SOH ARE BEING REPAIRED

Reconstruction and repair work gressing smoothly despite adverse at State Orphans Home is proweather conditions, according to Moyne L. Kelly, superintendent.

Ravayed by the recent tornado, State Home lost a large barn and several small sheds. Construction work has been meager due to funds and material, but the school has salvaged all lumber and is repairing the large barn and also constructing several temporary sheds.

The construction of a recreation park at the old fish tank is underway and an outside recreation director has been employed. V. C. Miles, the new appointee, will supervise the construction work. At present a bulldozer and grader are leveling the ground and future plans are to build a camp house with bedding facilities for 50 persons.

The fish tank will be cleaned of parasites and restocked in the near future. Boats will be available for the school children and a pontoon barge will be placed in the tank for those woh want to fish.

The tank has an island on which outdoor cooking facilities will be constructed. Weather conditions have hampered the work, but the project should be finished by late spring.

The Business Women's Circle of First Prebyterian church will meet in the church annex Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

The Men's Dinner Club will sponsor an all-men's banquet in the first Methodist Educational building on the evening of March 21.

OVER 14 THOUSAND QUALIFIED VOTERS IN NAVARRO COUNTY

ESTIMATED OVER SEVEN THOUSAND SERVICE MEN ENTITLED TO BALLOT

Indications Friday morning were that the voting strength of Navarro county for 1946 will approximate 14,000 following the midnight deadline Trursday night for the payment of poll taxes.

Theree had been 7,740 poll taxes issued at the office of Halley Blake, Navarro county assessor and collector of taxes, Friday morning, while there had been 1,229 exemptions issued. These figures do not include the hundreds of orders for poll taxes ordered through county banks and sent into the office by mail. Tax deputies estimated that the exemptions outside the four precincts in the city plus the unwritten orders for poll tax receipts will bring the total to at least 10,000.

Ex-service men and women from Navarro county in World War II are estimated at more than 7,000. Ex-service men and women are entitled to vote for 18 months following their discharge without the payment of poll taxes and it is believed by those in close touch with the political situation that at least 4,000 are entitled to vote in Navarro county this year. A total of 5,354 polls were reported February 1, 1945.

This is the largest number of qualified voters in a number of years.

FAIRFIELD OFFICER RE-ENLISTS IN AIR CORPS AS M-SGT.

James L. Glazener, former second lieutenant of the Miltary Police Corps, who has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Annie Glazener of Fairfield, since his separation from the service, recently enlisted as a master sergeant in the Air Corps of the Regular Army.

Lieutenant Glazener is the brother of Captain V. R. Glazener, Air Corps, now serving in the European Theatre, and of Miss Myrtle Glazener of Fairfield. His wife, Mrs. Wilma Haas Glazener, and son, James, are at present in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

The officer was born at Fairfield, is a graduate of Fairfield High School and was formerly a salesman for the Burleson Furniture Company of that city.

He entered the army in March, 1940, served four years as an enlisted man, attaining the rank of technical sergeant. In May, 1944, he graduated from Officer Candidate School at Fort Custer, Michigan, and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Corps of Military Police. After being commissioned he served sixteen months as a Military Police officer and three months as a unit commander in the combat engineers.

Lieutenant Glazener wears the Good Conduct Ribbon, the American Defense Ribbon, American Campaign Ribbon, World War II Victory Ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Ribbon with two bronze stars for campaigns on Guadalcanal and the Northern Solomons, and the Distinguished Unit Ribbon.

He was discharged at Camp Fannin on January 20, and was accepted at the Corsicana Army Recruiting Station for a three-year enlistment as a master sergeant in the Air Corps on January 30. Lieutenant Glazener designated the Mediterranean Theatre as his choice for overseas assignment in event he is ordered overseas during his new enlistment period.

Stricken at Desk.

W. D. Seaton, night captain of the police department, was stricken ill at 4 o'clock this morning at his desk, and carried to the P. and S. Hospital for treatment. He was reported to be improved later in the morning.

Bobbie Coggins of Kerens is a patient at P. and S. Hospital.

NOTICE!

It was always a pleasure to do business with you, and I appreciate very much the business and support given by the good people of this county while I owned and operated A. B. Walker & Son.

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Mr. Robert C. Reeder, contact representative will be located at 208 State National Bank Building.

He will be glad to render Veterans and their dependants any service in connection with their claims or benefits under laws administered by the Veterans Administration.

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Corsicana Has Glorious Past; Pleasant Present; Future Up To Citizens

The complete text of the address---"Corsicana, Past, Present and Future"---delivered by Beauford H. Jester, Texas Railroad Commission, at the annual banquet of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening follows:

A man's home town is ever an object of interest, pride and sentiment. It is the place where he and his family live. It is the center and headquarters of his business and social life. It is where he has his closest friends. It is where he really lives.

The man who does not love his home town and is not interested in its betterment and progress lacks something. I am like every one of you here tonight, in that I have an intense love and loyalty for Corsicana and want it always to be the best town in the world in which to live.

Lifelong Resident

Since August, 1942, while continuing to be a lifelong resident of Corsicana, the duties of the office of Railroad Commissioner in Austin have compelled me to spend about five days out of each week away from Corsicana. As a result of my being away from home and my public service taking me to many of the cities and towns of Texas, I have been enabled to view Corsicana from a distance:—to look at it in retrospect as it were, and to compare it with other cities in Texas. When we are in it or too close at hand it may be said we cannot see the forest for the trees.

Because I love Corsicana and Navarro County and because I am intensely interested in seeing our home town and county improve and develop, I count this a happy privilege to be present at this Annual Meeting of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce. As your speaker on this occasion, I want to stimulate your civic pride and initiative by taking as my subject, "CORSICANA, ITS PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE."

Praises Citizens

To begin with, I want to say with all sincerity that I know of no finer little city in which to live. I know of no finer people than those who make up the citizenship of Corsicana and Navarro County. The people of Corsicana are friendly and loyal. They are the kind of friends that like to be by your side in joy and in sorrow, and will help you in your triumph and disaster. I know as well as anyone how true this is. No community contains more real American citizenship, more industrious, honest, thrifty, patriotic, God-fearing and God-loving people than we have in our comfunity. People make a town what it is. This is proved by the fact that Corsicana has always been outstanding in the interest its citizens have taken in their homes, churches and schools. These three institutions are the foundations of citizenship and society.

Strong Leadership

A city is measured in terms of both the quality and quantity of its citizenship. The quality of a city's citizenship is measured in civic pride, the way the people spend their money and live, and their spirit of cooperation in city planning and improvement. Strong, sound civic leadership—the willingness of competent men and women to upbuild a city—is an indispensable quality in a city that refuses to stagnate and stand still and that believes in making things better at the present time and planning bigger and better things for the future.

With these facts in mind, let's consider Corsicana's past history and development.

Corsicana's beginnings as a town date back to 1848, when it was established as the County Seat. It began with the right kind of people. The character of its citizenship has not changed through the years. Two oil booms failed to change, for long, if at all, the character of Corsicana as a city.

Natural Resources

Corsicana and Navarro County have been blessed with natural resources and good climate. The annual rainfall is adequate. It has good geographical location. A rich, fertile soil makes this a good farming and cattle raising community. Underneath our soil God has placed oil and gas.

From the beginning Corsicana and Navarro County have been basically an agricultural, cattle raising and mercantile community. In the last generation some industries were established here.

In the past history of Corsicana, twice have Corsicana and Navarro County been enriched financially and its population increased by the discovery of oil. The first time was in 1896 and the second in 1923. In fact, Corsicana was the birthplace of the oil industry West of the Mississippi River. I am one of those who believe that there are oil and gas reservoirs beneath Navarro County yet undiscovered. Corsicana also has a natural resource that, in my opinion, we have been negligent in not having exploited: hot artesian water.

Corsicana's Growth

The Official Census Records tell the story of Corsicana's growth in population:

1870	80
1880	3,373
1890	6,285
1900	9,313
1910	9,749
1920	11,356
1930	15,202
1940	15,232

Our Chamber of Commerce estimated that in 1945 our population was about 18,500. Census population totals include only the people within the city limits, and our Chamber of Commerce estimate cannot be considered as official Government Census totals.

Growth of City

Corsicana's population increase has been followed and paralleled by its Post Office Receipts, Taxable Property Valuations, and the Census and enrollment Records of Scholastics in the Corsicana Public Schools, and the bank deposits of our Banks. These figures are too voluminous to read on this program, but they trace the growth of Corsicana. They are attached as Exhibit "A".

As to population, Corsicana has shown, throughout its past, a steady growth, except between 1900 and 1910 and between 1930 and 1940. Its largest population was attained during the three or four years following the discovery of the Powell Oil Field on January 7, 1923. Its peak population was estimated at around 30,000.

Great Powell Field

It was a misfortune that we did not then have the State Oil and gas conservation and proration laws that came into effect in 1931. Had we had proration and conservation in force in 1923, the great Powell Field would not have been produced as a flush production field for five or six years until it began to make salt water and the wells put on the pump, but an orderly, scientific withdrawal of the oil would have caused these wells to be flowing and producing today and for years to come. We could have held a good percentage of the population that came to Corsicana from 1923 to 1928. As it was, the oil men got the flush production in less than 6 years and moved on.

Prominent Oil Operators

Corsicana has been benefitted by those who came to Corsicana during the Powell Field development, succeeded in their oil operations, liked Corsicana and adopted it as their home. Illustrative and notable among these were J. L. (Jim) Collins, the partner of R. L. Wheelock who had come to Corsicana several years before the Powell Field, H. R. and W. C. Stroube, and G. C. (Jake) Hudson. Collins, joining with W. C. Stroube, operated the Corsicana Stable of race horses and their horses, Croon, Clarify and others, made a reputation for themselves, their owners and Corsicana. W. C. Stroube built and developed Melody Meadows as a stock farm for race horses some twelve miles east of Corsicana. H. R. Stroube's vision, work, and generosity largely made possible the extraordinary fine golf course at the Corsicana Country Club. G. C. Hudson is the Postmaster of Corsicana today. R. L. Wheelock's Hereford Ranch and Mrs. Wheelock's stable of show horses in the eastern part of Navarro County are among the show places of this county. Mrs. Wheelock's show horses, including Corsica Miss, continue to receive national recognition and are frequent winners in the horse shows held over the United States. City Commissioners Fred Prince and Travis Fullwood, R. D. Fleming, Lyman Davis and others made Corsicana their home after their successes in the Powell Field and are numbered among our civic leaders today.

Boom Days Over

By 1930, when the census was taken, Corsicana had lost most of its growth resulting from the Powell Field boom days and so had other regions in Navarro County. We then settled into a post oil boom era. We must remember that, even though there may be future discoveries of oil in this county, the days of the oil booms are over. Our oil and gas proration and conservation laws tend to make for an orderly production, rather than an immediate get-rich-quick production of oil. The discovery of a deep field, or fields, in Navarro County would undoubtedly bring more people to Corsicana and Navarro County, and careful city and county planning would enable us to retain as permanent citizens a good percentage of those who would come to the county with the discovery of deep production. When, as and if this occurs, it will be our duty to quickly and wisely plan to meet this challenge and opportunity.

Important Events

The building of the three railroads, the interurban line, the eighteen County, State and Federal highways, the important political events, the citizens of Corsicana and Navarro County who have distinguished themselves in the realm of politics, the professions, the ministry, the oil industry, and business have been narrated in Mrs. Annie Carpenter Love's "HISTORY OF NAVARRO COUNTY" and Judge C. L. Jester's "SHORT HISTORY OF NAVARRO COUNTY AND CORSICANA."

Therefore, in this consideration of Corsicana's past history, we will refer only to such part of it as influences Corsicana in the present and will stimulate its future development and progress.

Sound Industries

Corsicana's economic condition was improved in the past by the good, sound industries that were established here and added to its growth an economic betterment.

A few notable examples were:—

The establishment of the Oil City Iron Works in 1887, and the Whiteselle Brick Yards about the same time. In 1895 Johnston and Aiken built their oil field equipment manufacturing plant which was incorporated in 1910 as the American Well and Prospecting Company and which was re-incorporated last year as Bethlehem Supply Company. This plant was the pioneer oil field equipment manufacturer in Texas. The Corsicana Cotton Mills, incorporated and built in 1904, was made possible largely through stock subscription and promotional donations by Corsicana citizens. The Wolf Brand Chili plant, a comparatively recent establishment, is well known throughout Texas and the Southwest for its product. The Collin Street Bakery's De Luxe Fruit Cake has a national market. Corsicana is also headquarters for the K. Wolens Department Stores. Starting with one small store here many years ago, the chain now numbers 20 in as many Texas cities. The Tex-Sun Glove Company, our most recently established industry, together with these above named and other small industries, have supplemented the agricultural and mercantile economy of Corsicana and brought new citizens and payrolls to Corsicana.

Hotel Constructed

The initative of Corsicana citizens resulted in the building of the Navarro Hotel in 1925 after a group of our citizens contributed $12,500 to the purchase of the lot upon which the Hotel was built.

Important, if not more important than the addition of these industries to Corsicana's growth and development, have been the character building, social contributing, recreational facilities, athletic and physical training phases, the philanthropic and cultural contributions, and livestock and agricultural projects which in the past and even the recent past have given a wholesome civic flavor to Corsicana and its citizenship.

It is fortunate for Corsicana that its people have given generously to their churches and their YMCA because a city, like a man, is not fully equipped unless possessed of the spiritual qualities.

YMCA

The Young Men's Christian Association building was built in 1914. Its cost, in excess of $65,000, was attained after seven Corsicana men each underwrote $5,000 of the cost and led the way for public donations to complete the building program. The modernization campaign in 1938 to enlarge, renovate, and modernize the YMCA building and make it usable for women and girls fell short of its $88,000 objective. The campaign, however, resulted in necessary repairs and redecoration. It is my prediction that this modernization campaign will be successfully finished in the not-too-distant future.

The quiet generosity and leadership of W T. McElwee, following the gift by the Estate of Judge W. J. McKie of the camp site for the Corsicana Camp Fire Girls' "Camp Wanica," provided a modern lodge and other improvements for the girls of our city.

The Corsicana Country Club's golf course is one of our distinctive assets. This course is one of the best in Texas and is unsurpassed by that of any Country Club in America in a city the size of Corsicana. The Club's annual Invitation Tournament in May is a popular event, bringing many golfers and much favorable publicity to Corsicana.

Made Athletic History

In the past, Corsicana has made athletic history. The Corsicana team in the Texas League in 1902 holds the world's record for consecutive games won, 27, the most runs, hits, and extra base hits made in one game (Corsicana 51-Texarkana 3), and the largest percentage of games won during the official season when it won the Championship. Many outstanding baseball players played on that and subsequent teams. J. Doak Roberts of Corsicana became and died as President of the Texas League. In latter years the Corsicana team in the Texas Association won both halves of the split season of 1924-1925.

State Champions

The Corsicana High School Tigers won the Texas Interscholastic League Championship in 1932. The Tigers went to the semi-finals in 1930 and in 1931 and to the quarter-finals in 1934. They went to the bi-district finals in 1933 These teams, coached by the lamented John A. Pierce, developed football players that made outstanding records on Southwest Conference and other higher educational football teams. Corsicana produced one All-American football player in Robert Wilson in 1935 as halfback on SMU's Conference Championship and Rose Bowl team. When SMU played in the Rose Bowl on January 1, 1936, four former Corsicana High School Tigers (Robert Wilson at half-back; Robert Finley at full-back; Maco Stewart at end; and Billy Stamps at guard) were on the starting line-up, and Leamon Phillips, a substitute tackle, played in the game. No one high school, unless it be some California high school, has ever had that many former players playing in a Rose Bowl game.

Endowments for Corsicana

It is the philanthopic, religious, and cultural contributions of certain of our citizens of the past that have left a lasting impress upon the people of Corsicana and Navarro County and have endowed Corsicana with qualities of civic virtue and nobleness. The people of this town and community will ever be grateful to the lasting benefactions to them made posible by Captain James A. Garitty, Mrs. Allie May Autry Kelly, grand-daughter of Mrs. H. E. Kinsloe, Mrs. Kate Huey Whitselle, W. J. McKie, and Frank N. and Florence Drane.

Kinsloe House

Captain Garitty left a charitable trust that has been a great benefit to our worthy poor and needy. Mrs. H. E. Kinsloe's grand-daughter, in 1938, gave her grandmother's home to the women of Navarro County as a social, cultural, and educational center. It was named the Kinsloe Women's County Club. It is generally referred to as Kinsloe House. In 1940, Mrs. Whitselle built an auditorium onto it. Here meet the County Council of the Parent-Teachers' Association, the Home Demonstration County Council, and various social groups. The women of Corsicana and Navarro County enjoy and will continue to enjoy this lasting contribution to their social, cultural, and educational enjoyment.

McKie Memorial

W. J. McKie and his wife left lasting memorials in the McKie Memorial Concert, given free to the public annually by artists of national and international reputation, in the scholarships to outstanding students who desire to attend The University of Texas, and a memorial to the Baptist Church.

In the park at the south end of Beaton Street may be seen the memorial drinking fountain provided years ago by the thoughtfulness and friendliness of Phife Pinkston, who was not a man of great wealth and worldly goods but who was very rich in friends and personality.

Navarro Foundation

The Navarro Community Foundation created in 1930 by Frank Neal Drane and his wife, Florence, and endowed with approximately one million dollars, provided, through its established purposes, an enduring memorial to their memory and an enduring benefaction to the people of Corsicana and Navarro County. The purposes of this Foundation are so admirable that they should be briefly stated.

The purposes are:

"1. To promote and aid in the extension of religion.

2. To promote and aid in the extension of education.

3. The alleviation of human suffering and the prevention and control of disease.

4. The acquisition, construction, maintenance, and beautification of a public building, grounds, and/or works for the encouragement of public civic betterment.

5. The relief of worthy poor and indigent, and

6. The aid of any scientific endeavor or cause designed and carried on solely to contribute to the betterment of mankind."

Sense of Responsibility

Benefactions such as these above mentioned give the quality of immortality to their donors. They awaken a great sense of appreciation, gratification, and responsibility in those who enjoy the benefits of such benefactions.

Corsicana has the kind of people who will, as a group of them did about twenty years ago, buy and give a home to Miss Sally Evans, their first school teacher, whose age was bringing her close to retirement after she had taught better than two generations of Corsicana pupils in he first grade of our public schools.

It is the civic attitude, the social feeling, the philanthropy, and the wholesome friendliness of our citizens in the years gone by that have made every man, woman and child who ever lived in Corsicana long enough to know its people always have a fondness for Corsicana, wherever they may later move and live.

The Tie That Binds.

How its former citizens feel toward Corsicana has been aptly expressed by that genial and genteel gentleman, Dick Jackson, now a resident of Houston, who says, "If I go to Heaven, if I can't start from Corsicana, I want to go through there on the way." Bishop A. Frank Smith, as is also his brother, Angie Smith, a former resident, a product of our public schools, and a bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church, puts it this way: "Corsicana and its people remain in my heart and memory wherever I live." The tie that binds former citizens to Corsicana and its people is continually evidenced by the large number of former Corsicana people who are brought back to Corsicana for their final resting place.

Corsicana of the past is thus tied into Corsicana of the present by benefactions like those above mentioned and the continuing affection for Corsicana by former citizens who have moved away to new fields of endeavor.

The creative work of some of our citizens in recent years has brought us civic and economic assets that we enjoy and benefit from in Corsicana of today.

Hereford Breeding.

The work done in Hereford breeding by J. N. Edens, R. L. Wheelock, Fred M. Allison, W. E. McKinney, and others on their ranches is a present asset to Corsicana and Navarro county and the cattle industry as well. The Brahma herd of the Burke Brothers is perhaps the outstanding Brahma herd in the United States today. The Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural Show and Rodeo is an important addition to Navarro county and Corsicana. Its plant and its annual show mean much to the encouragement of livestock growing, the production of poultry, and better agricultural production in Navarro county. This annual show and the carefully worked out agricultural program of our Chamber of Commerce is serving Corsicana in the present and will keep Corsicana and Navarro county in the livestock and agriculture spotlight in the future.

Corsicana Field.

During the war just ended, Corsicana benefitted by having the Corsicana Air Field located seven miles out of the city. The warmth of the hospitality of Corsicana people made a lasting impression on those hundreds of young men from practically every state in the Union and from some foreign countries, who obtained some of their training at this field. They will always be Ambassadors of Good Will for our people. When this field closed down, the impact of its closing was not such as disrupted the commercial and business welfare of our merchants. True, they missed the added business, but it did not cripple them.

Many of our peopole have expressed dissatisfaction over Corsicana not obtaining a big military camp or hospital, but it is going to be proved and is already being proved that towns and cities that had these war plants, camps, and hospitals and had a war-boom prosperity will feel a local depression when they are closed up and the military and civilian personnel are moved away. The people of Abilene will tell you how true this is since Camp Barkeley closed. There will be other towns and cities that will soon be making a similar confession. The Commissioner's Court of Bell county and other counties can tell us how much they have missed the tax and agricultural revenues of hundreds of acres of former taxable land which have been enclosed in government camps and reservations. And the government may be slow in relinquishing its tax-free possession of this land.

Permanent Growth.

It is a steady, permanent growth that makes a city—not boom prosperity.

As we view Corsicana today, we do not have the problem of a post-war let-down that will come from the closing of large camps and government plants whose sudden closing and whose departure of personnel cause economic repercussions.

The annual report of the Chamber of Commerce we received here tonight and a survey of our population, our industries, our natural resources, our civic buildings, our churches, our homes and schools, our streets, our public utilities, our civic leadership, and our present plans give us the picture of Corsicana in the present—Corsicana today.

Viewing this total picture, we can thoughtfully approach the undertaking that every man, woman and child in Corsicana should concern him—or herself—with: That is the undertaking to improve and develop Corsicana to day and to plan to continue its growth, development, and improvement as a thriving little city in which to live in the future.

Our Responsibility.

What Corsicana will be in the future is largely our responsibility. It will be the result of how well we plan and act.

Certainly, we want to add industries to Corsicana that would be beneficial to Corsicana and Navarro county. Certainly, we want to add every other civic improvement and civic enterprise that will make this a better city and county in which to live. In planning to bring to and add to Corsicana and Navarro county the things that will insure its growth, its prosperity, its development and betterment, let's take stock of those things that we already have and measure our capacity to acquire and sustain new enterprises.

Natural Resources.

We must take into consideration our available natural resources. We must also consider the available tax money we will have or can provide for civic and community improvements.

As we seek new industries, we must remember that the factors that locate industries are water supply, climate, labor, fuel, and transportation. We know what we have in all of these essentials for industdy. By wise planning and by a selective, aggressive approach, Corsicana can accommodate and benefit by acquiring a number of small industries.

I would not feel that I had measured up to the privilege of addressing you tonight on this subject if I did not make some constructive suggestions as to what we should do now for Corsicana in the future.

Specific Suggestions.

Therefore, I want to make these specific, down-to-earth suggestions as to what is within our ability to do and have to improve and develop Corsicana and our county:

1. A City Planning Committee or Commission should be created to formulate a plan of city development. This is a Must.

Many of the following suggestions, if not all of them, could be developed in the City Development Plan.

2. Corsicana should create a Civic Development Fund patterned along the lines of the Tyler Industrial Fund, Inc. The Tyler Industrial Fund is a Texas corporation capitalized at $200,000, subscribed and paid in by its citizens. The charter provides that no dividends will be paid to shareholders. All profits are placed in the surplus. Thus the corporation is practically tax exempt, both with respect to income taxes and corporate taxes. Its funds are used in providing sites and buildings for new industries. The new industries that have recently come to Tyler have been brought there by this fund, not by outright donation or contributions, but through lease agreements with the industries for the premises provided at a low rental, with the option to the industries to purchase the property at their pleasure on a cost basis less depreciation. The rental return received by the Corporation is proving more than adequate to take care of the depreciation and leave a modest net return besides.

Hot Artesian Water.

3. Corsicana should utilize the hot artesian water that underlies our city. The temperature and chemical analysis of this water make it a valuable factor in the treatment of many diseases, even infantile paralysis. The utilization of this water should be approached after consultation with and recommendation from the Navarro County Medical Association. Our hot mineral water can make possible a useful and profitable Spa if it is properly planned and built and is staffed and managed by an experienced medical staff and massaging personnel.

4. Corsicana should encourage the growth of a good health and medical center which would cooperate with our existing hospitals, clinics, and their facilities. A conference last week, with Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, leads me to believe that state and federal aid is available to Corsicana for the establishment of such a Health Center.

Civic Center.

5. Corsicana should have a Civic Center. Such a center should have an auditorium to seat 2,500 people for county-wide meetings, conventions, musical events, and public entertainment. It should have lounges and reception rooms for the comfort and sociability of the people of our city and county and the visitors within our gates. The building should be built so as to provide a headquarters for the Chamber of Commerce and every activity supported by the Community Chest It should have kitchen and serving facilities for serving public banquets.

6. Corsicana and Navarro county must have a county or municipal airport adequate to serve present and future air transportation of all kinds.

7. Corsicana's plan of civic development should provide for street widening, street extensions, street paving, repairing, and provisions for arterial traffic.

Comprehensive Plan.

8. Corsicana's plan of civic development should be a comprehensive plan by a professional city planning engineer for the location of future public buildings, public developments, public works, extension of the city limits, sewer system, the development of new parks, playing fields, a municipal golf course, and a city swimming pool in the present or another city park.

9. Corsicana should keep alive its baseball and football heritage. It should have a municipal baseball park in which the national game could be played and make possible city and county baseball tournaments, a professional baseball team in a Class D league and the development of baseball players and teams of Corsicana High school.

10. Corsicana should, and, I believe, is making a start to improve the physical training and athletic development of its school children and the establishment of a sound athletic program in its Ward schools, Junior High and High school. We should develop better football, baseball, basketball, track, tennis, and golf teams in our public schools. There is no reason why Corsicana's athletic prowess should be limited to past accomplishments.

Need More Homes.

11. Corsicana, like every other town and city today, faces the need and necessity of building more homes. We should build some new houses and apartment houses.

12. I would like to see Corsicana take the lead in improving the health and housing conditions of its citizens, both black and white, who live in the less desirable residential sections. They should be provided with better homes and sewerage service.

13. Corsicana needs an intensification and activation of its civic pride and ambition. Our present Chamber of Commerce, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, our three luncheon clubs, our women's clubs, and those now constituting our civic leadership group should get together and get busy. They should be joined by a number of business and professional men, both old and young, and by the women of Corsicana for the purpose.

14. We must encourage the improvement of farm and ranch homes, farms and ranches, increased soil conservation, diversification of crops, and, most important, finding new uses for our rich black land. We must encourage the growing of other things besides cotton, corn, and the staple feed crops we have grown for years. We must encourage and expedite the building of a system of farm-to-market roads in Navarro county.

15. Corsicana should adopt a beautification plan similar to that which has been developed in Lufkin and Angelina county to beautify not only the city but the countryside as well.

Modernize Business District.

16. Corsicana should start a campaign to give a facial to our business houses by brightening, painting, and modernizing the fronts of the various stores in Corsicana. This would give a new and modern look to our business district. A program of this nature enabled Pampa to give its business district the newest and best looking appearance of any town or city in the Panhandle. Weslaco, in the Rio Grande Valley, accomplished the same results with a Business Area Beautification program.

17. Corsicana and Navarro county should increase the salaries and efficiency of the teachers in the public schools.

18. Navarro county should modernize, redecorate, re-equip, air condition the courthouse and put in elevator service. Our courthouse has the possibilities of being made into an imposing courthouse with attractive grounds.

19. Corsicana and Navarro county should promote the building and operation of a City-County Abattoir. The abattoir in Austin and its remunerative operation, along with its excellent sanitation, would be worth patterning after. However, if Keen's new plant just south of Corsicana is large enough or could be enlarged and provided with the modern ancillary facilities, this might meet the needs of our city and county.

20. Corsicana and Navarro county should have a milk plant and improve and increase the number, the quality, and the production of its milk cows.

Beautify Lake.

21. Corsicana and Navarro county, with the right planning, care, and not-too-large an expenditure of money, could make the land around Lake Halbert into a scenic park and provide play fields, baseball diamonds, and tennis courts and other recreational facilities for the citizens of our town and county.

22. Corsicana and Navarro county should plan more social contacts of its citizens with the children of the State Home and the Odd Fellows Home. Let's give them more of the feeling of being a part of our city and county.

We have much to build on here in Corsicana. Corsicana in the present is a pleasant place in which to live. It is superior to most of the cities of its size in Texas and elsewhere. First of all, we have a citizenship that has a pride in Corsicana. We must translate and effectuate that pride into ambition, initiative, work and planning to improve our city. Our present assets, besides the kind of people we have here, are: Good farming and ranching land. Some good industries. One of the best newspapers I know of in a town this size in Texas, or anywhere. We have a golf course that is unsurpassed by any of any town its size in the United States. We have a geographical location on highways and railroads that will enable our people to get to any important town or community in Texas within a few hours. We have good schools. We have good school buildings, built for future addition. We have fine churches. We have an abundant fuel supply close at hand in our natural gas; a safe water supply. And let's not forget our hot artesian water.

Must Utilize Assets.

We must utilize the assets and resources we have and make them more productive.

Industries and industrial plants to fit our town we can acquire through a Corsicana Foundation Fund. The people of Corsicana and Navarro county are thrifty, honest, loyal and hardworking folks. They make the kind of labor industry and business are looking for. Yes, Corsicana has what it takes to get what it wants in industries.

A city, like an individual, has to reach out and get what it wants by using the assets and facilities it has. We must wisely use what we have. Otherwise, we will be as guilty of the omission and the lack of individual initiative as was the boy who sat on the bench with his best girl in the moonlight. Seeing a centipede crawling over a beautiful rose, he said to her, "I just wish I had all the arms that centipede has so I could put 'em all around you." And she replied, "You're not using the two arms you have got'"

Exploit to Fullest.

Let's exploit to the fullest "what we HAVE got" in Corsicana and Navarro county.

As we have reviewed Corsicana in the past, it was proper that we mentioned and paid tribute to some of the public-spirited leaders of our city in years gone by. Time does not permit naming them all, for they have been numerous.

Let us here and now also acknowledge and pay tribute to our patriotic and unselfish civic leaders of today who are giving their time and talent to the Chamber of Commerce and other civic organizations for the welfare of Corsican and our community.

Tribute to Veterans.

And gratefuly let us pay tribute to the patriotic sons and daughters of our citizens in Corsicana and Navarro county who served and are still serving in the armed forces for the war they helped to win and the peace they are serving to secure.

In both groups, we are confronted with a list of names that is too long to call in the time allotted to me on this program.

To those and all of us in Corsicana today, may I close with this suggestion:—

May we of Corsicana of today so plan, work and build our city and community that in the days to come, when our sons, and our sons' sons may meet, as we do here tonight, they may say of us: "In their time and in their period in the development of Corsicana, they built well and made lasting contributions toward making this a better place in which to live".

Tax Valuations For Corsicana

Year	Tax Valuation	Tax Rate
1910	$ 6,757,481	$1.30 per $100
1920	8,623,945	2.25 per $100
1930	12,767,847	2.40 per $100
1940	8,850,921	2.50 per $100
1945	9,279,517	2.50 per $100

Post Office Receipts

1907	$ 24,094.73
1910	26,274.40
1920	44,772.26
1924	88,172.65
1925	79,015 86
1930	71,540.03
1932 Rate increased from 2c to 3c	
1940	71,139.36
1941	77,182.07
1942	92,273.47
1943	109,484.24
1944	128,681 38
1945	126,528.00

Total Deposits Corsicana Banks

Year	Amount
1920	$ 5,631,476.57
1930	8,808,240.87
1935	6,106,938 36
1940	6,978,386.80
1945	23,204,063.64

MANY MEN SEEKING PERMANENT JOBS IN REGULAR ARMY

Tens of thousands of men throughout the nation are seeking permanent jobs in the regular Army, some of them requiring highly technical training, because the service offers greater security than many civilian occupations, Sgt. Harold Albright, local Army recruiter, declared today.

"Figuring everything," Sergeant Albright said, "the Army pays much better than a lot of civilian jobs, and we don't have any layoffs. The future and the pay checks are always certain."

Sergeant Albright reviewed the Army's payment plan with a number of applicants this week in the recruiting office located in the State National Bank building.

In addition to the regular soldier's pay there are family allotments, plus 20 per cent increase for overseas service, plus 60 per cent if he is on flying status, plus five per cent for each three years service, plus additional pay for decorations, combat and expert infantryman's badges.

Other direct benefits are low-cost insurance, free medical and dental care, free mailing privileges, appreciable savings through purchases at post exchanges, commissaries and free or low-cost post recreational facilities, Sergeant Albright said.

Appeals Are Filed With Civil Service

Veterans in increasing volume, who are employees of the Federal Government, have in recent months fild appeals with Civil Service a against discharge and reduction in rank or pay, according to W. C. Galloway of the local Civil Service Board.

"As the Federal Government continues to retrench from its wartime peak activities, a greater number of veterans will be involved," Galloway said. "Many veterans wonder why they are released while non-veterans are retained on the payroll.

"The one simple explanation is that the veteran is a temporary or war servine appointee while the non-veteran is a permanent employee," Galloway stated.

Ben Delahay, Jr., Elected To Frat

Ben T. Delahay, Jr., has been elected to the Blue Key Fraternity at Trinity University, San Antonio, according to information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Delahay of Corsicana. This is a high scholastic honor. The student finished his examinations at Trinity and will visit his brother and sister-in-law, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. William Delahay at Biggs Field, El Paso, before returning to Corsicana.

Delahay will matriculate in the Harvard University Law School within a few weeks.

TSCW Girls Home For Term Holiday

Among Texas State College for Women students home for the mid-term holidays are Billie Anne Cheney, Cecille Anne Bryant, Mary Lois Seale, Marilyn Moore, Jerlene Thompson, Martha George and Helen Statham.

Alice Judson of Houston is the guest of Billie Anne Cheney. Rosalind Kachtick of Houston and Bettye Romine of Alice, Texas, are guests of Marilyn Moore.

PACIFIC VETERAN ON DUTY HERE AS HIWAY PATROLMAN

R. M. Arnold, state highway patrolman, is a recent addition to the law enforcement agency and is working in conjunction with Byron Currin.

A marine veteran of this war, Arnold joined the department in 1938 and served until 1942, at which time he was recalled to service, having previously served four years in the corps.

Participating in the Solomon and Paluas engagements, he was awarded three battle stars on the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon. A first sergeant in the military police, he was wounded in the Palau battle. In addition to the Purple Heart medal, he was awarded the Good Conduct ribbon.

A native of Longview, he was overseas a total of thirty-two months.

Commissioners Look Over PW, Farm Sites

Members of the commissioners court Friday afternoon inspected buildings at the county farm and at the prisoner of war camp site east of Corsicana city limits.

The application of Halley Blake, assessor and collector of taxes, for the appointment of Margaret Gill as a deputy at a salary of $100 per month was allowed.

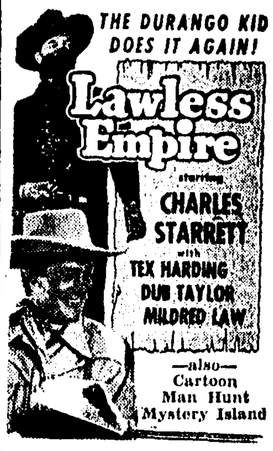
The commissioners discused general election judges to be appointed Feb. 11 for the 46 voting precincts of the county.

Bryan Couple Visitors

W. R. Carmichael, Bryan, secretary-treasurer of the Texas High School Coaches association, accompanied by his wifee and son, were Corsicana visitors Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Staggs visited in Blooming Grove the early part of the week.

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FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS

How badly does Navarro County want a system of farm-to-market roads?

There is one sure way of getting them. Vote bonds and build the roads. Designate what routes are to be improved in the original bond issue, if a county-wide response suggests this method, thereby eliminating any misunderstanding on the part of the citizens or the county commissioners.

Under a survey conducted by the Texas Highway Department, a system of 211 miles of primary and secondary roads would care for more than 90 per cent of the traffic, added to the present 152 miles of highways, 47.2 miles of laterals already in use, and 52.2 miles designated for construction during the next three years. The 52.2 miles are to be constructed by the highway department.

Better roads will reduce school bus and private motor vehicle operation costs, and will reduce some of the present maintenance load on dirt roads. The county is spending some $100,000 on maintenance of roads under the present system. It is a known fact that dirt roads are the costliest in maintenance. Provision must be made for maintenance funds for the system, if constructed. Many present laterals are in need of repairs and conditions will become more acute as time passes unless this need is met.

Of course, it will cost money to build roads. Taxes will be increased.

Do we want roads badly enough to pay for them? That's the best and quickest way to get them.

STILL ELECTRIC

We have mastered the Age of Electricity and are now getting into the Atomic Age, but there is no special need to neglect the former in the fascination of the latter. It took a long time for electricity to get a real start, and indeed that development is still far from completion. Atomic Energy is yet in the stage of scientific exploration and development, with no assurance of how long it will require for anything like full usefulness. Most experts seem to think it will take decades.

Meanwhile it might be said that electricity, though utilized in one way or another for nearly a century, still has great and useful possibilities as yet scarcely touched. Some people in the electric trade, along various lines are complaining of too many dealers being in the business; but inventive ingenuity and mercantile enterprise may change that attitude.

LABOR WARS

This modern world never stands still, and neither do the people in it. The nineteenth century is incomparably the most active and progressive era in human history, and western Europe and our own western world---especially the latter ---are in the fore-front of what we call progress.

But as usual, progress is mingled with difficulties and perplexities, not only abroad but at home. Here is the foremost nation of all time busily quarreling with itself and indulging in the strange luxury of industrial strikes and political warfare, when it might be figuratively sitting on the top of the world, in commad of unparalled progress.

The great eras of Greece and Rome and Italy, which in their time topped all human attainment, were nothing compared with the achievements possible in this country, if our leading groups would only march in friendly cooperation and utlization of the opportunities open to them.

Instead, labor groups and capital groups wage economic war, while the nation looks on in apathy, and government allows itself to grow enfeebled, and leadership and purpose are lost. And if this great nation does not soon assert its power in legitimate and constructive ways, for friendly and cooperative human progress, the greatest opportunity in human history may be jeopardized.

NEW EDUCATIONAL FORCE

A phenomenal growth in Junior Colleges within the next few years is predicted. As many as 500 of the two-year schools are to be set up in various parts of the country, many in connection with metropolitan high schools. The sudden interest in this type of education is laid to veterans, many of whom, not wanting to give four years to the traditional college course, nevertheless have been made education-conscious by the GI Bill.

According to Dr. George Zook, president of the American Council of Education and Prof. Leonard V. Koos of the University of Chicago, the Junior College, so far largely attended by women students, will become as widely recognized an educational unit as the high school. Its curriculum in many cases will be worked out in connection with public schools and enrollment will be of both sexes.

Apparently there is need for non-technical higher education that is briefer than the college course, but which carries students beyond the high school level. If there is permanent need for junior colleges, they should be set up---but established only on sound and carefully thought-out educational principles. They should not dot the land in an over-extended mushroom growth which does not mean anything.

Veterans need to be taken care of, but their wants must be recognized as temporary. Communities contemplating establishment of junior colleges should build them on the basis of long-time local demands for this kind of schooling.

AMERICAN DANGER

Needless to say, this nation is unconquered and unconquerable, as has been proved in every American war, and particularly in our most recent conflict. That is, we are unconquerable from without. If by any strange change or fate or foolishness we should wreck our great republic, probably it would be from within.

How could that happen? Presumably by one influence, one alone. Namely, by groups within the nation gaining too much power and wielding it in such ways as to destroy our government. It would come most obviously from a weakening of our American system of checks and balances, a growing disregard of law, and an enlarging power in the hands of social and economic groups bent primarily on their own immediate or imagined benefit, regardless of the American system.

Many Americans think there is a growing danger right now along such lines.

Edgar A. Guest

MAN'S HAT

They grind them out like factory pies;
Thousands of similar shape and size:
The self-same ribbons neatly tied.
The bow upon the right hand side.
For never a man to frown was known
To meet a hat just like his own.

And never a man was known to say:
"I'm going to give this hat away.
'Exclusive!' so the salesman said
Who stuck this bonnet on my head.
Now hats just like this awful thing
Are thick as daffodils in spring.

"Somehow, when I am on the street
I do not like myself to meet.
It sends the shivers down my spine
To see another hat just like mine."
Man leaves to woman speech like that.
He's happy just to buy a hat.

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SAUCE FOR THE GOOSE AND THE GANDER



WRECKS

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ing the vehicle behind the truck.

Trailer Caused Accident

Apparently the weaving of the trailer caused the truck to get out of control, turning over and pinning Burke. Rector escaped with minor bruises and contusions and crawled from the wreckage although soaked with gasoline. Considerable difficulty was experienced in rescuing Burke. He was rushed to the clinic in a Corley ambulance where his condition was described as serious Monday. X-Ray examinations have been made. He is reportd to be partially paralyzed.

Thre Corsicanans received injurles in an automobile mishap at the intersection of Second and LaSalle streets in Waco shortly after midnight Sunday morning. The car figuring in the head-on collision in Waco was reported to have been driven by Leroy Johnson, Jr., 1017 North Twentieth street, Corsicana, who sustained a cut and bruised ear.

Pryor In Waco Hospital

Wesley Pryor, 1623 North Beaton street, Corsicana Daily Sun route carrier, recived a head injury and is in a serious condition at Providence hospital where the Corsicanans were taken following the accident.

Hollis Levins, 1108 Elmwood, Corsicana, had shoulder and chest injuries. He was the third Corsicanan in the accident.

Miss Billie Williams, 16, Waxahachie, received treatment at the P. and S. Hospital Sunday night at 6:30 for a cut on the right cheek and shock following being struck by an automobile near the bus station. She was taken to the hospital in a Corley ambulance. After first aid treatment, the young lady was discharged. The name of the driver of the automobile was not secured.

Cars In Ditch

Highway patrolmen answered two calls on Highway 75 near Chambers creek Sunday night. No one was injured. Mud on the windshield weree blamed as causing the drivers to get off the pavement, striking soft shoulders and plunging into the roadside ditches. The first call was at 8:30 p. m. when Ed Green, Wichita, Kansas, went into the ditch, and two hours later young Mitchell Landon, Hutchins, experienced a similar accident.

SITE

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Across the New York state line in North Castle, civic, social and political organizations fired protest cables at the United Nations assembly in London.

Theme of the messages, said John E. Lockwood, lawyer and resident of the community, was that the UNO committee was "spending $100,000,000 more than was necessary in order to be near NEW York City's night clubs."

UNO

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not be in the Security Council.

Charge "Causes Bitterness."

"This charge has caused bitterness in the hearts of the British people," he said, "because it is not true."

Bevin spoke about 40 minutes. "Have I, my government and the British people taken action in Greece or elsewhere to endanger the peace of Europ?" he asked in conclusion. "On that I ask an answer.....I plead with you either to absolve us or brand us as guilty."

Vishinsky told the Council earlier that "nothing worse could have been said" than Bevin's assertion last Friday that propaganda from Moscow was a gander to peace.

Compromise Is Unlikely.

Most delegates minimized the chances of a compromise on the dispute, particularly in view of renewed attacks on Britain over the week-end by the Moscow radio and various Soviet publications. Bevin had asserted Friday that the Moscow radio's "incessant attacks" were endangering world peace.

As soon as the Council finishes discussion of the Greek dispute, it will turn to another controverial question—a request by the Soviet Ukraine for investigation of the presence of British troops in Indonesia.

The Moscow radio meanwhile, asserted that "Monarchist-Fascist elements in Greece, encouraged by the presence of forign troops, are contemplating some political adventures against their neighbors.

"Real Peace Danger."

The broadcast, quoting from the semi-monthly Moscow magazine New Times, said "the continuation of the reactionary regime in Greece, guarded by foreign bayonets," constitutes a real danger to peace.

Ali Soheily, member of Iran's United Nations delegation, said preliminary negotiations already have taken place for discussion with the Russians of Iran's charges of Soviet military interference in Azerbaijan province.

The United Nations site inspection committee, which arrived early today at the Hurn airport after a flight from New York, will present its report tomorrow to the headquarters site committee.

HOUSING

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the price nor the subsidy issue is of "immediate consequence because the bottleneck in housing is not in the field of financing, but is largely due to a shortage of building materials of all kinds."

Blaming both the labor shortage and uncertain ofer continuation of the president's pirority powers under which building materials are channeled into low and medium cost homes, Wolcott, minority spokesman, said that by removing the uncertainty one source of the shortage would be averted.

HOMMA

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Tuesday as a witness in his own behalf, Lt. Robert Pelz of New York City, assistant defense attorney, said.

It will be the general's first opportunity to answer to charges he was responsible for the "death march" from Bataan, and for atrocities and neglect which the prosecution claims caused the death of approximately 67,000 Americans and Filipinos in 1942.

Pelz was perturbed when a defense witness, Jose Santos, a Manila railroad dispatcher, testified he did not remember any troop train movements through Manila three days after General MacArthur had declared it an open city Dec. 26, 1941.

"Santos has taken the defense by surprise and I am going to treat him as a hostile witness," Pelz said.

Pelz then called Julito Guatlo, defense investigator, in an effort to impeach Santos' testimony. Guatlo read this statement which he said had been made by Santos:

"Four or five trains left Manila pulling soldiers and civilians north. The movement of trains the night of Dec. 27 was continuous."

GAS

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than it could be done by any federal agency."

No aid from congress is needed to solve the land and royalty owners' problems, the witnesses declared, except to insure the producer that no interpretition of the natural gas act will allow any federal agency to infer the power to control the production, gathering, processing or intra-state transportation and sale of gas, or the price of such gas.

Kay was asked by Commissioner Harrington Wimberly what the railroad commission could do under existing law to increase the well-head price of gas.

The witness replied that a recent decision of the state supreme court upheld the authority of the railroad commission to regulate gas production in the interest of protecting correlative rights.

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measure is the only important one ready for debate will lose considerable force. The independent offices bill contains funds for such institutions as the White House.

The filibuster began immediately after Senator Chavez (D-NM), called the measure before the senate unexpectedly January 17. It has tied up all legislation since.

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STATE HOME LADS REACH FINALS OF FROST CAGE MEET

WIN OVER BLOOMING GROVE, 23-19, BUT LASSIES DROP OUT

State Home Lads advanced to the finals of the Frost invitation-basketball tournament with a 23-19 win over Blooming Grove Friday night in the Frost gym. To even matters up, the Blooming Grove girl sextette trimmed the Lassies 25-20.

Thus far in tourney play, Emhouse has beaten Barry, Barry girls have defeated Emhouse girls and Mertens has taken the measure of Dawson. Lads play the winner of Frost-Richland encounter Saturday in the finals. In the consolation playoff, Emhouse plays Mertens.

Boyce again led the way for the Home five with ten counts. Boyd, Blooming Grove mainstay, again paced his mates with nine points. Garrison was high scorer in the girls' game, racking up 17 to pace Blooming Grove. Land, with eight, and Denny with seven were the bright lights for the Lassies.

Score by Periods.

	1	2	3	4	tl
Lads	10	5	2	6	23
Blooming Grove	5	3	6	5	19
Lassie	4	8	4	4	20
Blooming Grove	8	8	5	4	25

Box Score.

Lads—	fg	ft	pf	tp
Jones, C., f	1	0	0	2
Boyce, f	5	0	4	10
Bottoms, c	3	0	3	6
Carrington, g	1	0	4	2
Pillows, g	1	1	2	3
Phillips	0	0	1	0
Totals	11	1	14	23
Blooming Grove—				
Pullin, f	1	0	0	2
Armstrong, f	0	0	0	0
Brown, c	0	1	1	1
Boyd, g	3	3	5	9
Hollingsworth, g	0	0	0	0
McGraw	0	1	2	1
Rawson	2	2	2	6
Total	6	7	10	19

PRIVATE RITES HELD FOR BISMARK ZADEK SATURDAY MORNING

Private funeral services for Bismark Zadek, 75, long-time Corsicana resident, who died Friday morning, were held from the Corley Funeral Chapel Saturday morning. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Robert Raible, Unitarian minister of Dallas.

A native of Bryan, Texas, Zadek came to Corsicana early in life and was engaged in the cotton business for many years.

Surviving are his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Earl Ellis, both of Corsicana.

YAMASHITA

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creed death by hanging for Yamashita.

The Japanese protested that "my conscience is clear." He was locked in a Manila prison while three of the U. S. Army attorneys who defended him before the commission were flown to Washington to argue his appeals.

LABOR

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emerge little changed from its present form.

Foes Hold Hopes.

Foes of the Case bill have two main hopes of defeating it. One is that the Republicans might fail to support it in a bloc as some party members have indicated they will. The other is for the opponents to get together solidly behind a compromise.

MACKENZIE

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when the government assumed control. So he will look for new leadership.

General De Gaulle is keeping discretely silent, but I believe it's fair speculation that these thoughts passed through his mind as he tossed his presidency bac kinto the asembly after holding it for some two and a half months.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method to thank those who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our wife, mother, and grandmother. We especially thank Doctor Carter and Rev. A. J. Kirkland. Also, we thank the ladies of the Missionary Baptist Church who served the nice lunches, and to the ones who sent such beautiful floral offerings.

May Gods' Blessing be with each and everyone of you is our prayer.

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Mrs. J. G. Smith And Movie Star Daughter Visit

Mrs. J. G. Smith of Dallas and daughter, Mrs. John Maschio of Beverley Hills, Calif., were in Corsicana on Friday to visit their grandson and nephew, Joe Moore young son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Moore, who is ill. Mrs. Maschio is known in the cinema world as Constance Moore, and was en route by plane from a personal appearance at the White House in Washington, D. C., to home in California.

1953 Poll Taxes Paid In Corsicana

With a few in the mails yet uncounted, polls sold at the office of the city tax assessor and collector numbered 1953, according to Miss Kate Dunn.

This is a substantial increase over last year's sales, which amounted to 1506, she said.

From October until the deadline at midnight January 31, aproximately $220,000 in current taxes were collected by Miss Dunn's office. About $12,000 remaining on the rolls became delinquet.

Mrs. Grantham Took Patient To Galveston

Mrs. Gladys Grantham, chairman of crippled children's work in Navarro county, was in Galveston on Thursday to place a patient in John Sealy Hospital for examination and a pair of specially constructed shoes. Another patient, who had spent the past two weeks at the hospital, was returned to her home here.

Mrs. Grantham took a patient to Baylor Hospital in Dallas today for a check-up.

WAR FOOD ORDER RECENTLY REISSUED IS NOW EFFECTIVE

War food order No. 9, restricting the use of protein meal in the manufacture of mixed feed for livestock and poultry, has been reissued and becomes effective immediately, according to a U. S. department of agriculture bulletin received recently by C. T. Young, ACA administrator.

This order has been reissued in an effort to prevent feed shortage in important livestock areas of the country, and to effect more equitable distribution to all classes of users.

Beginning immediately, no feed manufacturer may use more high protein meal in making feed for feeding livestock (other than poultry) than the quantity used for that purpose in the corresponding calendar quarter of 1945.

No person may use in the manufacture of poultry feed a larger quantity of protein meal than the following percentages of the quantity so used in the corresponding month of 1945; January and February, 1946, 100 per cent; March 1946 95 per cent; April, 1946, 90 per cent, and other months, 85 per cent.

This limitaion is in line with the 1946 goal calling for a 15 per cent reduction in egg production, and 17 per cent in chicken numbers raised on farms.

Set-aside are also authorized by the order. The initial set-aside for the remainder of January began on Jan. 16 and is 5 per cent of the production of soybean, cottonseed, linseed and peanut meal More announcements will be forthcoming in the near future, according to Young.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Walker of Kerens were among the out-of-town guests at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet at Corsicana High school on Thursday evening.

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PEARL HARBOR

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tion of the records rested with a group of naval officers, as he had said before.

"But you *do* have suspicion against Stark and Marshall?" asked Lucas, referring to a reply Safford had given Rep. Clark (D-NC).

"I have no proper basis for suspicions against any individual," Safford replied.

"Do you want to change your testimony of a while ago?"

"I would like to change my answer to Mr. Clark's and your question. I have no suspicion directed against any individuals who can be named."

Some Records Missing.

Safford said it was a fact that official records "are missing," but he did not know how.

Cooper pressed for a direct reply, and the witness said:

"I have no suspicion against any individual."

The officers whom Safford previously had said should not be suspected were Capt. A. D. Kramer, Capt. A. H. McCollum, Admiral T. S. Wilkinson, and Admiral Leigh Noyes.

Lucas, referring to other witnesses who have disclaimed any knowledge of a "winds message", wanted to know "How could all these people be wrong."

"I can't explain other people," Safford replied.

"All Good Americans."

"They were all loyal and patriotic Americans," said Lucas in noting that they had no reason to secrete or destroy records.

"Yes, sir, all of them," said the witness.

Earlier, Safford had been asked this question by Rep. Clark:

"Do you mean even to create the suspicion in the minds of this committee or the public that either General Marshall or Admiral Stark violated the law of this nation by destroying public records to cover up a mistake."

"In my own mind that suspicion exists," Safford replied.

Safford has testified that an intercepted Japanese message was received by the navy three days before th December 7, 1941, attack, and has now vanished from the files. He said there was "an appearance of a conspiracy" and that it "is human to try to cover a mistake."

AUTO DISPUTE

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The corporation has held to the assertion made before current talks began that it would not discuss the wage increase demanded by the union until certain "unsatisfactory provisions" in the old contract, which GM terminated Dec. 10, are eliminated.

UAW officers, on the other hand, are holding just as firmly to their contention that the 30 per cent boost they have asked is the primary issue for discusion. Last week UAW President R. W. Thomas left the discusions with the announcement that he would not return "until there is some evidence that GM intends to settle the strike."

Negotiations "Lagging"

It was in the midst of this dispute that Federal conciliator Dewey went to make his initial report to the Labor Department in Washington, where it was reported he informed officials negotiations were "lagging."

However, Dewey, now back from the Capitol, said the negotiatiore were in a better mood during last Friday's sessions than during earlier talks, and indicated he expected today's talk to go more smoothly.

Among the subjects the corporation wants settled ahead of wages are provisions for maintenance of membership and promotions.

A brighter note in the automotive picture came with announcements that some 9,000 Chrysler Corp. employes were returning to work today after a layoff of several weeks because of the glass strike, and that nine UAW-CIO locals has ratified the new contract with the corporation calling for an 18 1-2 cents per hour pay boost.

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TUGBOATS

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event the city's supply need became desperate.

Tug Service Vital

The tugs are indispensable to work in the harbor where they perform a variety of tasks. Some 400 were tied up by the strike.

Mayor O'Dwyer estimated the city would be without 80 per cent of its normal flow of coal and other fuel and nearly half its food supply.

The tugboat workers seek a 40-hour week in place of the present 48, hourly wage boosts from $1.10 to $1.57 and from $1.42 to $1.85 for licensed personnel and a flat $1.35 an hour for unlicensed personnel in place of the present 67 to 72 cents.

PLANNING

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cana's future, Mayor Calhoun said: "We are in the very dawn of a reconversion period; we have not reached the period of full daylight on a good many things that can be and should be done, but in a short time I believe we will know more about the conditions we will face in our planning."

"I trust that every citizen of Corsicana will feel it his duty to co-operate with any plan agreed on by the committee and will feel free to make suggestions to this group," Mayor Calhoun urged. "We can only succeed by working together. The municipal government invites inspection of its past record and your help in making its future record."

CHILE

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and Santiago provincial secretary of the confederation, called on workers to go to work as usual "because the government has amply satisfied the petitions to our organization."

The confederation held a secret meeting, minus its Socialist members, with Communist congressman Bernardo Araya presiding. The only statement issued after the ssssion was that the confedratioen was determined to carry out the strike.

Nitrate Unions Dissolved

The present labor crisis was brought about by the action of the government last month in dissolving the nitrate unions. A meeting protesting the dissolution, held here last Monday, resulted in the deaths of six labor confederation members in a clash with police.

The new cabinet, sworn in yeterday, contain six new members—four Socialists and two former members of the radical party. Three military leaders, whose presence in the old cabinet was protested by labor groups, were retained in the new cabinet along with one member of the popular front and two ministers without party affiliation.

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ture' or to the 'arts.' It is whether the contents are 'good' or 'bad.'

"To uphold the order of recovation would, therefore, grant the postmaster general a power of censorship. Such a power is so abhorrent to our traditions that a purpose to grant it chould not be easily inferred."

Douglas asserted that the postal act "left no discretion to the postal authorities to withhold the second class privilege from a mailable newspaper or periodical because it failed to meet some standard of worth or value or propriety."

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in the courthouse. If it hadn't been for Mays," he declared, "many boys and girls would have been in the reformatory and penitentiary who are here."

In discussing the juvenile problem, Goff said that the boys and girls who have gone wrong and made mistakes come from all strata of society, and all are not "from the wrong side of the tracks," and he shouted:

"Rise up as a body and give the boys and girls a chance!"

Then the minister quoted statements and newspaper clippings and comments attributed to J. Edgar Hoover, FBI chief; Calvin Coolidge, former president; judges, and others, showing increase of crime among the young people in recent years. He quoted clippings from this newspaper about juveniles involved in burglaries and other cases, and then charged:

Afraid of Cost.

"And still we find at the courthouse and some of the civic leaders of Corsicana who stand up and say we don't have a juvenile problem," and then paid his respects to them by terming them "a bunch of buzzards who don't want to see conditions and are afraid it might cost them a dime to help the youth."

"I'd rather give money to help the youth than give them a ticket to hell," he asserted.

Quoting warnings from law enforcement agencies, he said that FBI Chief Hoover says to place children in Sunday school as a preventative of crime, and then he paid his respects to parents who do not take their children to the church school. Roger Babson, industrialist expert and writer, was quoted as saying that there was never a time when the Sunday School was needed more. The speaker then said a veteran judge writes that of thousands sentenced in his career, only three had been convicted who had attended Sunday school.

Law Violations.

Then the pastor told of numerous instances of law violations that had come to his attention since he had become interested in the question—passing worthless checks, immorality, theft, etc. He asserted some of the youngsters without a chance would grow up without respect for God or man, and urged that it was time for the church people to wake up.

One instance related was that he had seen the newsboys delivering their paper routes and then three other boys slipped along and stole the delivered papers and took them to town to sell them.

The minister charged that boys and girls could be seen roaming the woods in the Oak Valley community together when they should be at home. He said that one boy had admitted he had not intended to steal, but entered a store to show his associates he could, and Goff blamed the incident on "the lousy picture shows."

Conditions In Home.

Goff placed the first blame for conditions on the home, and quoted a Scripture verse to "Train a child in the way he should go and when he is old he won't depart from it."

Declaring that he had spent his last minute working "with old backsliders," the preacher asserted that in the future his time would be spent in helping the boys and girls whom he said appreciated a helping hand. He said that some of the mistakes made by youngsters were caused by the parents lying in bed on Sunday mornings, reading the papers, listening to the radio instead of going to church and then going to the picture show Sunday afternoon.

Turning to another portion of his discussion, Goff placed blame squarely on the church next to the home. He spoke of a widowed mother working to support her small children and the churches failing to provide for a needy home. He said he had two boys in mind who were in jail tonight and were going to prison because the church had not done its full duty. He then launched into a discussion of what the public thinks, of the handicaps, timidity and problems facing the youngsters in society "from the wrong side of the tracks" after pointing out that he (the minister) was an orphan boy from the same area.

Scores Ministers.

"That boy should have the same chance to live as any one else," the Rev. Mr. Goff shouted, and then charged that some ministers "had sold out to the devil, so to speak" for not fighting the conditions mentioned.

He asserted that "bootleggers on Tenth street have to wear badges to keep from selling to each other." He charged that officers can't see the bootleggers and dope heads, but they can see a little fellow and catch him when he makes a mistake. He also paid his respects to a "honky-tonk" where hundreds of youngsters congregate. He spoke of gang fights, crowds coming from Ellis and other counties as well as from Corsicana and "raise hell in general," he said while "some peckerwoods in the courthouse" say there is nothing to it.

Needs Housecleaning

"Corsicana needs a general housecleaning," he charged, and then said that the red-blooded people should take a stand. He reminded the congregation that "that bunch will try to bring back beer."

The fourth blame division of his remarks was directed to the civic leaders of the community. He again termed some of them as "peckerwoods" who teach Sunday School classes, are deacons and stewards in the church, and at luncheon clubs brag of how much money they won playing poker at the Country Club.

"Those are in the upper class and your leaders," he shouted.

Goff then said he doubted whether much was done about that situation as "too many dads play poker and too many mothers frequent the cocktail lounges."

He then charged the ministers of the community to stand up and demand a righteous leadership and not be afraid of their salaries and a loss in contributions from that class.

Serious Situation.

Asserting that conditions presented a serious aspect to him. Goff than pledged that he would do all he could do for any boy or girl who needed him as long as God "leaves a breath in my body." He said that a remedy was co-operation and plenty of money.

A real recreation center was suggested for the youngsters in each community. Answering the expected statements that a youth center is maintained, Goff said the boy with a patch on his britches and the girl in the gingham dress are not going to the youth center where evening clothes and evening gowns are seen at the dances.

Dances were termed "short cuts to hell" regardless of who or what organization sponsors them. He said the dance problem would be solved in short order if a law was passed requiring men to dance with men and women with women.

Urges Recreation Centers.

The proposed community centers would include basketball courts, tennis courts, reading rooms, horseshoe and croquet grounds, etc. He also suggested bus trips for the underprivileged boys and girls to historic points over the state—Austin, San Antonio, San Jacinto Battlefield, the Gulf of Mexico, etc., and than when that youngster read or saw anything in his history and geography books about the places where he had visited, he would be interested and would live on a plane with the kids of the higher strata. "Then you wouldn't have to fish him out of jail," he said, and he stated that the youngsters liked action and when they are given the kind of education they need, they'll go to church on an equal footing with the others.

Stirring Appeal.

He issued a stirring appeal for aid in getting behind a program of this type; and asserted he was going to establish such a center in the Northside community, and that he would go day and night for the youngsters who need his services.

"Usually a man who has an idea, has no money, but I'm going to give this what I have," he declared.

Hundreds of those present walked down to the front and gave the minister their hands that they endorsed his stand and pledged cooperation to his projected help of the youth.

STEEL STRIKE

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the industry is seeking a $6.25 boost to compensate for a wage increase.

Truman Raise Unchanged

The president is reported to be sticking by his proposal that the 750,000 striking steel workers be given an 18 1-2 cents an hour increast. Current conferences apparently have to do with a decision on how much an increase should be granted manufacturers in the price of steel.

Schwellenbach said he did not know whether the president had any plans to summon Benjaminn F. Fairless, president of United States Steel, for a White House talk.

After the departure of the union leader and Schwellenbach the president's congressional leaders went in for a weekly confelence with him.

Strike In Third Week

At CIO headquarters, a spokesman said Murray was called late yesterday and asked to come to the White House this morning. Schwellenbach had even less notice, a labor department official declared.

The meeting took place as the steel strike entered its third and perhaps climactic week.

After conferences with industry leaders, the White House is expected to bring forth a new steel price formula in a decisive effort to gain U. S. Steel Corporation acceptance and send 750,000 CIO United Steelworkers back to their jobs.

Indications that some sort of showdown is due this week were seen in President Truman's plans to leave the capital next Monday for a two week fishing cruise in Florida waters.

Although Mr. Truman has transacted state business from his yacht before, the flurry of White House activity left the impression he is hoping for a settlement before he quit town. This view was bolstered by the announced decision to bring people "outside the government" into the steel strike talks this week.

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No ethical druggist will prescribe. His skill is far greater than any layman's, but he also knows his field too well to try to fill a doctor's place. A mild symptom may be a danger signal which only a trained diagnostician can detect.

The doctor will insist that a good druggist fill his prescriptions.

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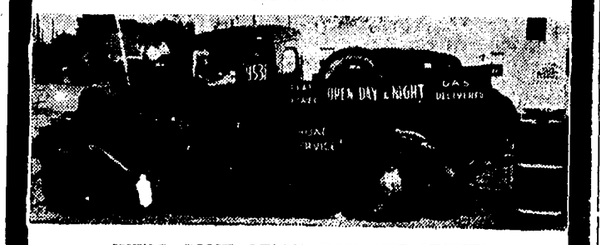
We are happy to announce that the installation of our NEON Plant is almost completed.

Orders are now being accepted for any type of NEON SIGNS.

Veal Electric Co.

113 West Collin Street.
Phone 283. Night Phone 1355-W

When You Have a Flat — Out of Gas — Need Anti-Freeze — a Battery Charge or just a Shove—
Phone 9538



WE'LL COME QUICK, DAY AND NIGHT!
Only a Small Service Charge Extra.
—— We Do Light Hauling, Too ——
We May Doze—But We Never Close.

GREEN FRONT SHOE SHOP

214-A South Beaton Street.
Second door north
Commercial Hotel—
PHONE 843.
Pick Up and Delivery Service.

We both worked for you at W. W. Green's New Shoe Shop —may we have the pleasure of serving you again at the GREEN FRONT!
JACK McCAIN,
AUBRY FINCHER,
—Owners.

At K. WOLENS

POPULAR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT



It's the "Curved Look"! For Springtime!

- - and - -
OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT
- - is Blooming With Lovely New Styles and Shades to Thrill You!

New Spring Frocks

See the New in Our Windows Daily!

Step out in a dancing doll dress...excitingly new with a stand-out peplum, or hip drapery...hugged waistline, swirling skirt! You'll adore our picture-magic prints, filmy sheers frothed with lace! Beau-catchers for dating and parties thru Springtime.
Choose yours today!

$5.99 To $29.95



SPRING SUITS ARE SO PRETTY!

Going soft...the newest, prettiest suits for Springtime '46! Spotlighted here in our advance collections...come see them today! Dressmaker beauties, little basque jacket suits, crisp boleros...soft suits with sweet short toppers! Gently curved for real figure-flattery, note their small waists, rhythmic skirts. Pastels, checks, stripes...come for yours today!

$15.40 To $39.95





So Many Pretty Styles!

Charming New SPRING HATS

Flowers and Straws in lovely combinations—

$4.99 Others —$5.00 and up



Newest "SHORTEE" COATS

This clever new "Shortee" Coat goes so well with your New Spring Costumes—
Its Clever!

$15.40 To $37.50

K. WOLENS
DEPARTMENT STORES
Buy on our Easy Lay-A-Way Plan

OFFICERS RE-ELECTED BY NAVARRO COUNTY HOSPITAL BOARD

Officers were elected, the annual report of the secretary was received and routine matters were discussed and considered by the Navarro county hospital board Sunday afternoon. Securing of a new electrocardiograph, made possible by a recent gift to the hospital, was announced at the meeting as well as the installation of a new drinking fountain the past month.

Collections for January amounted to $5,329.15, with expenditures listed at $5,102.25. There were 121 patients admitted, including two charity, and 13 received treatment without admission to the hospital. There were 22 deliveries.

Charity work by the hospitl was carried at $161.64, while free services of physicians was listed at $280.

Officers re-elected are C. O. Weaver, Dawson, president; Z. T. Banks, Corsicana, vice president, and Paul Moore, Corsicana, secretary-treasurer. Other members of the board are Dr. O. C Bowmer, Corsicana; Dr. Gurley H. Sanders, Kerens, and W. A. Crawford, Kerens.

Highlights in the annual financial report as submitted by the secretary included:

Collections, $51,229.50; expenses, $54,029.36; 1,520 bed patients (338 increase); 79 charity patients, emergencies treated and not admitted, 176; deaths, 50; average number of patients per day, 25; average cost per day, $6.15, a reduction of 17 cents; deliveries, 291; hospital charity, $4,504.06; doctors' charity services, $6,142.50.

Disbursements included nurses and superintendent's salaries, $18,799; other help, $6,123.50; groceries, $8,135.84; utilities, $2,149.13; drugs, $3,309.10; laundry, $2,718.60; supplies, $9,811.96; repairs, $703.11; equipment, $2,286. These figures do not include repairs, equipment, insurance or other expenditures made directly by the commissioners court during the year, but are only those funds handled and expended by the hospital board.

ARMY CONDUCTING BIGGEST CAMPAIGN FOR ENLISTMENTS

The regular army is in the midst of conducting it's biggest peace-time campaign, not only in the United States, but also overseas, according to Capt. W. W. Hogewood, recruiting officer.

This campaign has the endorsement of President Truman, General Eisenhower and congress. President Truman recently pointed out that atomic vower has increased rather than decreased the necessity for our preparation, both in manpower and material. He said that the United States must maintain its military strength to insure our national security and to promote world order.

Every young man enlisting in the regular army has an opportunity to continue his education through the facilities of the United States Armed Forces Institute and special classes organized by information and education officers.

Regular high school and college credits may be granted for the successful completion of many of the 200 correspondence courses offered to members of the armed forces by the institute.

Courses include a wide variety of subjects at elementary, high school, technical school, and college levels. Another plan also exists whereby soldiers may enroll for correspondence courses in one of the many cooperating universities and colleges. For those courses the government pays half of the tuition fee.

The local U. S. Army Recruiting Sub-Station is located at room 410 in the State National Bank Building.

Mrs. O. M. Woodruff was in Dallas on Saturday to meet her son, Sgt. Murray Woodruff, who was returning from three years' services in New Guinea. There were joined in Dallas by Mrs. Murray Woodruff of Oklahoma City, and the trio returned to Corsicana.

Frost Defeats Lads 17-12 Semi-Finals Frost Tournament

Frost eliminated State Home Lads in the semi-finals of the invitaton tournament played at Frost on Saturday by a 17-12 score.

High scorer for the tilt was Neel, Frost guard, who hit the basket for three field goals, with a total of six points. Boyce and Carrington, Lad forwards, took second honors with five each.

Score By Periods.

	1	2	3	4	tl
Lads	2	3	3	4	12
Frost	3	7	5	2	17

Box Score.

Frost—	fg	ft	pf	tp
Hooser, f	2	1	1	5
Jones, f	1	1	1	3
Vincent, c	0	0	3	0
Neel, g	3	0	2	6
Vest, g	0	0	2	0
Logan	1	0	0	2
Malone	0	1	3	1
Total	7	3	12	17
Lads—				
Boyce, f	1	3	1	5
Carrington, f	2	1	2	5
Bottoms, c	0	0	1	0
Pillows, g	0	2	1	2
Phillips, g	0	0	1	0
Total	3	6	6	12

ALL-AMERICAN TEAM DRAFTS PLYLER, U. OF TEXAS CAPTAIN

By GEORGE O. NOKES, JR.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 4—Jimmy Plyler, senior student at the University of Texas from Corsicana, announced this week that he plans to play professional football next season with the Brooklyn Dodgers of the new All-American Conference. Plyler's announcement came after he received a letter from Bill Cox, owner of the Dodgers, saying that Plyler had been "draftd" to play with this team next season.

Plyler has been at the University since 1943 and has played three seasons with the Longhorns. Last season he was captain of the team and led them to the championship of the Southwest Conference and in victory over the Missouri Tigers in the Cotton Bowl on Jan. 1, 1946.

This was the second Cotton Bowl game for this 250 pound bruising tackle from Corsicana.

Great Punter

The burden of punting has been on him at the University as it was at Corsicana where he set the record for the longest kick in Interscholastic League history—110-yard boot against Waco in 1940. He and Harlan Wetz, 280 lbs., gave plenty of stability to the Texas line during the 1945 season.

He played for the Corsicana Tigers from 1938-41 where he was also captain and chosen as All-District Tackle.

While in High School he was a leader and has demonstrated the same fine qualities at the University where, besides being captain of the football team, he is Vice-President of the "T" Association and member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity.

Annual Report Of County Judge Filed

L. L. Powell, county judge, filed his annual fee report with the district clerk, showing net fees earned as $1,055.23 and a total of $1,019.00 in fees collected

State fees itemized were commissions from state inheritance collections—$44.08, all of which was collected.

Other fees listed were civil cases, $5 earned, all collected; lunacy cases, $101 earned, all collected; probate cases, $268.15 earned, $232 collected, and $36.15 uncollected; and birth certificates fees, $637 earned, all collected.

Totals of other fees were $1,011.15 earned, $36.15 uncollected and $975 collected. Totals of state and other fees were $1,055.23 earned, $36.15 uncollected, and $1,019.08 collected.

Prior fees to 1944 earned and reported unpaid were $3 in civil cases and fees earned in 1944 and unpaid were $107.05 for probate matters. Prior fees in probate matters to 1944 in probate matters totaled $.50.

Easy, Convenient, Cheap—Just Phone Your Want Ads to 163.

HONOR STUDENTS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL THIRD SIX WEEKS

Honor students for the third six weeks, fall semester 1946, were announced Monday by Gaston T. Gooch, principal.

To earn the coveted honor, a student must make at least three A's with no grade lower than a B.

Students making all A's were: Mary Jo Bailey, Joan Bigony, Helen Ruth Bower, Charles Roy Bristow, Dickie Brown, Patricia Brown, Eugene Clowe, John Robert Crawford, Louise Cummings, Jo Rene Edens, Ruth Elaine Foster, George Gillen, Dorothy Griffin, and Helen Griffin.

Anna Lee Hall, Barbara Hart, Peggy Harwell, Wanda June Hawkins, Virginia Hayden, Barbara Higdon, Jess Hilbert, Margaret Johnson, Janet Nichols, Lyndellu Puntenney, Julia Ann Rankin, Katherine Regester, Betty Jo Underhill, Charles Willingham and Jerry Wolens.

Students making six A's with no grade lower than a B were: Patricia Allen, Charley Lee Bowen, Ina Boyd, Jon Mac Burkhart, Ann Fagg, Carolyn Ferguson, Ann Fowler, Wayne Ganze, D'Wayne Howell, Mary Marney, Patricia Morris, Paul Rash, and Bennett Stokes.

Students making five A's with no grade lower than a B were: Jimmy Allison, Betty Lou Auld, Emma Catherine Beaird, Helen Connell, Clifford Hall, Glynann Harmon, Betty Howell and Maudine McCulloch.

Lenora Mathison, Glendean Olsen, Darline Rawson, Ben Roberts, Nancy Robinson, Joyce Sheerer, Arliss Shell, Joyce Smith, and Donald Stewart.

Students making four A's with no grade lower than a B were: Bobbie Baggett, Shirley Branes, A. J. Britton, Marianna Clements, Wynelle Goswick, Barbara Howard, Barbara Kiser, and Patricia Livingston.

Jerry McClintock, Mary Newton, Betty Jean Olsen, Nelta Mae Osteen, Billy Payne, Robert Pritchett, Patricia Trimble, and Luther Tyson.

Students making three A's with no grades lower than a B were: George Anderson, George Baum, Norma Bentley, Bobbie Brazzell, Mary Joyce Callaway, Ronald Cavender, Dwight Chappell, Billy Dan Clark, Carolyn Craig, Tressa Labban, Dorcasa Montfort, Troy Murphy, Juanita Phillips, Mary Ellen Sheppard, Eddie Faye Waskon, Ellene Jeanne Willard, Clo Jean Williams, and Bette Lou Wolens.

Marriage Of Edgar Wood, Miss Wanda Brooks Announced

Edgar Wood, son of Mrs. E. D. Wood of Corsicana, was married to Miss Wanda Brooks at the San Angelo First Presbyterian Church January 31, with the Rev. H. Russell officiating.

Candelabra and arrangements of gladioluses and fern provided a background for the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a powder blue wool dress with black accessories and an orchid corsage.

Guests included the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks of San Angelo, Mrs. E. D. Wood and daughter, Edna, of Corsicana; Robert Gunn and Mrs. Edwards and daughter of San Angelo.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents. After a wedding trip to Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Wood will be at home in San Angelo.

Wedding Invitations Received Corsicana

Corsicana friends have received the following wedding invitations:

Mr. and Mrs. William Christian Olsen request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Mary Marsh, to William Clarkson III, Lieutenant (jg) U. S. Naval Reserve at 8:30 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, February 9th at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, North Carolina.

Mrs. Tom Fortson and daughter, Doris, of Rice were in Corsicana on Sunday afternoon to hear the Original Don Cossacks Chorus at Corsicana High school.

In And Out Of Service

Marion L. Draper, MM 3c, U. S. Navy, received his discharge January 21, at Camp Wallace. A veteran of 23 months in the service, he was on sea duty 19 months aboard a destroyer. Draper has returned to his former employment with the Corsicana fire department and is now at home with his wife and daughter at 704 South Fourteenth street.

Tech. Sgt. Delbert L. Lassiter, formerly of Corsicana, who has been stationed on Hokkaido, Japan, with the 77th Division, is now en route to the Fourth Replacement Depot at Yokohama, to be returned to the States.

NAVAL SEPARATION CENTER, Norman, Okla.—Louis Frank Slovak, M3-c, of 102 South 15th Street, Corsicana, and Vernon James Boone, GM2-c, of 1019 North 20th Streeet, Corsicana, have received honorable discharges from the Navy here.

Boone served 23 months in the Pacific on the USS Umpqua and Slovak was on Okinawa eight months with the 27th Battalion.

ON THE USS HOUSATONIC—Lt. Cmdr. Nuel E. Blythe of Chatfield served on this fleet oiler, now at Pearl Harbor, through part of her war career. Her operations included fueling at sea and transporting oil through U-boat "wolf packs" in the Atlantic.

Cpl. William B. Decker of Corsicana is one of the 1,009 Army veterans returning to the states for discharge aboard the USS Westmoreland, according to a dispatch from Pearl Harbor.

PEARL HARBOR—Sgt. Chester E. Duke, Jr., of 915 North Thirteenth Street, Corsicana, is en route home for discharge aboard the USS Westmortland.

PFC HENRY A. FRANK HAS BEEN AWARDED BRONZE STAR MEDAL

83rd INFANTRY DIVISION IN AUSTRIA. — —The award of the Bronze Star medal has been presented to Private First Class Harvey A. Frank, husband of Mrs. Jean Frank, Blooming Grove, Texas.

The award was made for distinguished meritorious service in connection with the military operations against an enemy of the United States from July 4, 1944, to May 8, 1945, in France, Belgium, Luxemborg and Germany. During this period he performed his duties in a highly commendable and exemplary manner, often working under hazardous conditions due to the tactical situation.

In addition to the Bronze Star medal he holds the Combat Infantry badge, Europe-Africa-Middle East Theater Ribbon and Good Conduct medal.

At present he is on duty with the 83rd Thunderbolt Infantry Division, a part of Gen. Mark W. Clark's United States forces in Austria.

FUNERAL RITES FOR MRS. DELLA LONG, 71, HELD SUNDAY

Funeral rites for Mrs. Della Long, aged 71 years, who died here Friday night, were held Sunday morning from the Corley Funeral Chapel at 10 o'clock. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Jack Goff, pastor of the North Side Baptist church. Mrs. Long had resided in Corsicana for many years.

Surviving are three sons, J. A. and B. W. Long, both of Corsicana, and Frank Long, Fort Worth; a daughter, Mrs. Lillie Fields, Waco; two brothers, Ed Cathran, Buffalo, and Willie Cathran, Miles; three sisters, Mrs. Pearl Sykes, Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Minnie Stewart, Miles, and Mrs. Mattie Cartwright, San Angelo; 17 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

ASSISTANT AGENT ADDRESSES CLASSES AT DAWSON SCHOOLS

Miss Jo Ann Millican, assistant county home demonstration agent, addressed the junior and senior home economic classes of the Dawson High school Feb. 1, using as her topic "Behaviour at Dinner and on the Dance Floor."

Since there is no economic teacher at the school, Miss Millican will speak to the combined group on the first and third Fridays of each month. Her discussion subjects will be chosen by the class members.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Marmichael and son visited in Corsicana over the week end.

In Announcing My Candidacy

For re-election to the office of county school superintendent of Navarro county, I wish to thank the people of Navarro county for their splendid co-operation and assistance during the time I have served as county superintendent. I am now serving my second term.

I submit my candidacy for re-election on the basis of the service I have rendered in an honest, efficient, straightforward manner, and my qualifications by training and experience. I hold B. A. and M. A. degrees and have taught 15 years in Navarro county schools.

It has been my purpose that the schools of Navarro county offer the best educational opportunities possible, to all the children in the county. To this end all the rural schools in Navarro county, except eight, are accredited schools. During my tenure of office twenty-five rural schools have been accredited, four of which are colored. Among these are one and two-teacher schools. Wherever possible lunch rooms have been placed in the schools through the co-operation of the United States department of agriculture.

I humbly seek your support for re-election.

J. C. WATSON.

BETTER PLANNING OF HOMES URGED DURING "YEAR OF GRACE"

In one respect, the current shortage of building materials may prove to be a blessing in disguise....For folks may have an added "year of grace" to plan in detail the houses and farm buildings they intend to build.

That's the opinion of Miss Jo Ann Middlcan, assistant county home demonstration agent, who believes that many homes suffer from poor planning. Low-cost homes especially. A year spent in considering what your family needs, and what plans will best meet those needs will pay dividends in convenience and in savings....and of course, your family will have to consider what it can afford to spend.

Many farm magazines, magazines for homemakers, and construction industries offer booklets of plans which families can obtain for study as they plan their new homes.

Experts believe construction of only 150,000 new farm houses will be started in the nation this year and next. But as supplies and labor become available....and if rural incomes stay up, that number should be doubled in the years ahead. One other thing experts agree on....that about one-third of all rural houses are beyond repair.

Surveys on housing made by the department of agriculture disclosed some surprising facts. For one thing, 70 per cent of the rural families expecting to build new homes, will spend less than $2,000. And where houses are being built for tenants, landlords expect most of these to cost no more than $1,000. But....regardless of how much a family intends to spend on a new house... the planning shouldn't be neglected. It's just as important when you're spending $2,000 as when you're spending $20,000.

524 ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Jared I. Cartlidge, pastor, spoke at both hours Sunday at the First Baptist church.

One united by letter.

There were 524 in Sunday school and 124 in Training Union

A training course will be conducted at the church next week.

The regular mid-week services will be conducted Wednesday evening.

Pecan Trees

Paper Shells, for sale, all sizes. 809 North Commerce street.

IT'S TIME TO PUT OUT TREES, SHRUBS HOME AGENT ADVISES

If you plan to set out some new trees or shrubs on your place this year, don't wait much longer. Before you know it, the sap will be rising and buds will be swelling with a spell of mild weather.

And once spring has set in for good, your good intentions may be wasted. For trees set out too late, don't stand much chance of survival, says Miss Jo Ann Millican, assistant county home demonstration agent.

If you can, do that planting or transplanting job as soon as possible and preferably after a rain. That way your trees and shrubs will be well established before leafing out time. And in case you didn't know, leafing out uses up a good deal of a plant's vitality.

When you put out trees it's best to ball and burlap them to keep the roots from drying out. Now about the planting job itself. Use a spade or a long-handled shovel for digging the hole, and make it deep enough, that the trees will be about an inch deeper in the ground than they were in the nursery or the woods. Be sure the hole is large enough around to hold all the roots without crowding any or curling them up toward the surface.

After you've set the trees, pack moist soil firmly around the roots by tamping it. If it's possible, a good watering will help settle the earth and get the tree off to a good start.

And when you have time and good weather, remember that winter is the best time for pruning shrubs, particularly evergreens. Miss Millican says that'll promote heavier growth of leaves and twigs.

E. C. Mueller Returns From Dallas Meeting

E. C. Mueller, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, is back in his office today after attending a meeting of the Texas Association of Fairs in Dallas Friday and Saturday. He was elected to the board of directors of the organization.

Mueller contracted for attractions and special features to be presented at the annual Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural Show to be held Sept. 17-22.

CARD OF THANKS.

We are extending our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of Richard M. Martin, our loved one. We are also grateful for the nice food and the many beautiful floral offerings. We also thank Dr. Kelton, Rev. Kirkland, Corley and employes. May God bless each of you.—His Wife, Mrs. Ida Martin, and Children.

NATIVE OF HOLLAND TO SPEAK AT LOCAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Jacob C. Vandervis, a native of Holland, will speak at the Fifth Avenue Church of Christ tomorrow night at 7:30. Mr. Vandervis is an evangelist and plans to return to his native land as a missionary some time this year. His visit here will be in the interest of that work.

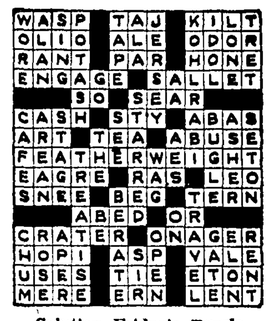
Mr. Vandervis is described as a man "well versed in the Scriptures, with a kind manner and winning personality, and a very interesting speaker." He has been in this country since 1921, but only recently decided to return to his native land to take the gospel to his people.

All services of the Fifth Avenue church were well attended yesterday. A new class in singing and Bible drills was inaugurated Sunday night. There were 57 present for the initial service. The minister, Frank J. Dunn, spoke at both worship services.

Other services for this week include the midweek service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. and the church work night, Thursday, 7 p.m. Because of the visiting speaker tomorrow night, the regular business meeting has been postponed until Tuesday night of next week, February 12th

Miss Frances Freeman has returned to Dallas after spending the week-end with Corsicana relatives.

Crossword Puzzle



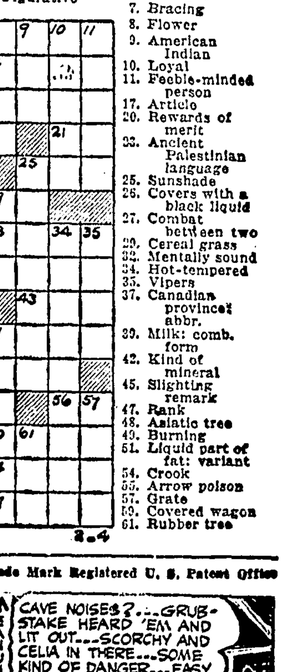
Solution Friday's Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Poet
6. Small round mark
8. Tropical tree
12. Century plant
13. Philippine mountain
14. Buckeye state
15. Fish sauce
16. Clergyman
18. Football position: abbr.
19. Agreeableness
21. Leave
22. Plucky
24. Solid water
25. Writing implement
26. Explosive device
28. Extinct bird
30. Southern constellation
31. Asks for payment
33. Operatic solo
36. Full of fissures
38. Places of worship
40. Scrutinize
41. The moon
43. Weaken
44. Pronoun
46. Traverse again
48. Pouch
50. Meadow
52. Soft mineral
53. Provided
54. Uncoined gold or silver
56. Biblical character
58. Pertaining to a river bank
60. Island of the West Indies
62. Persia
63. Follower of: suffix
64. Misfortunes
65. Dispatch
66. Born
67. Profound

DOWN

1. Philistine god
2. Figurative
3. Fish eggs
4. Depart secretly
5. Matron
6. Thought
7. Bracing
8. Flower
9. American Indian
10. Loyal
11. Feeble-minded person
17. Article
20. Rewards of merit
23. Ancient Palestinian language
25. Sunshade
26. Covers with a black liquid
27. Combat between two
29. Cereal grass
32. Mentally sound
34. Hot-tempered
35. Vipers
37. Canadian province: abbr.
39. Milk: comb. form
42. Kind of mineral
45. Slighting remark
47. Rank
48. Asiatic tree
49. Burning
51. Liquid part of fat: variant
54. Crook
55. Arrow poison
57. Grate
59. Covered wagon
61. Rubber tree



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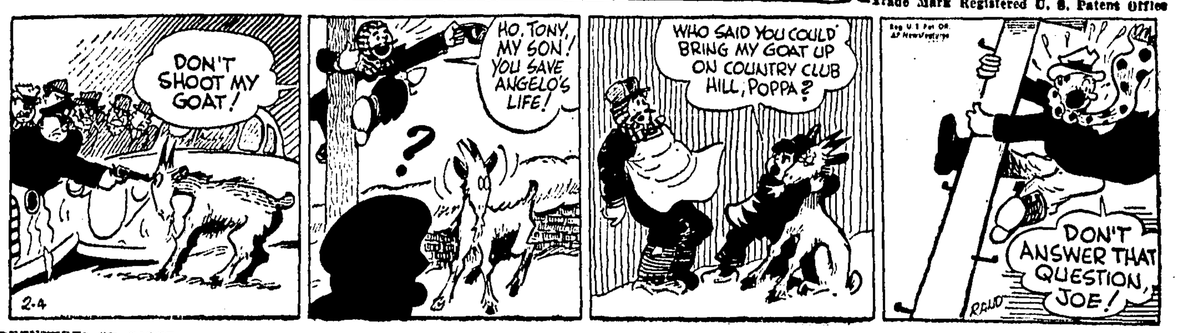
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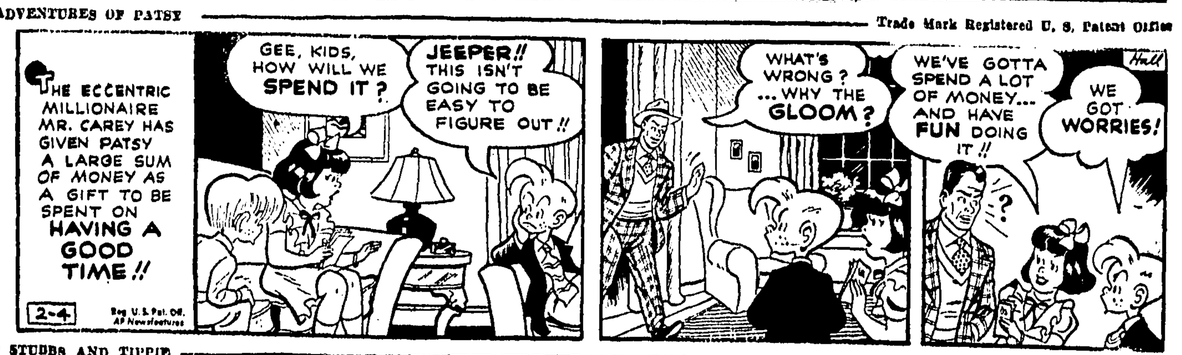


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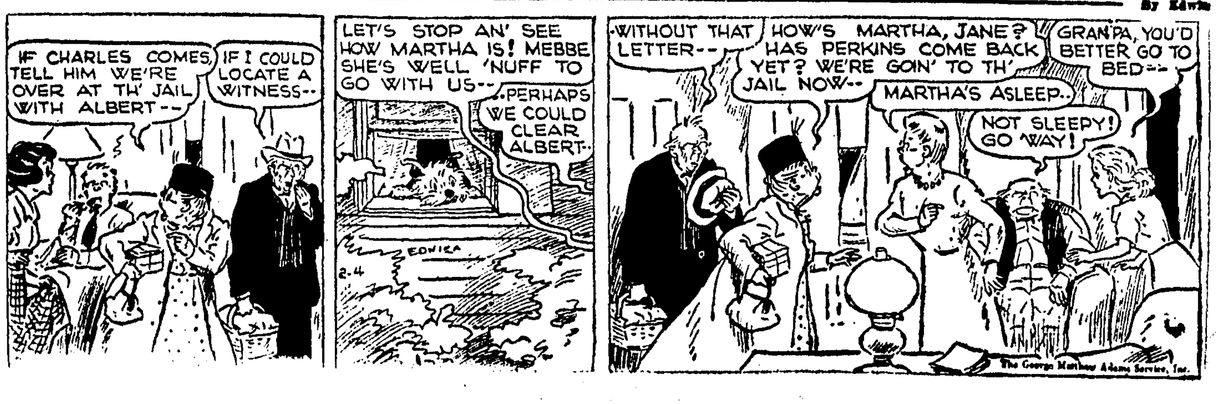
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Market Report

Cotton

Texas Spots

DALLAS, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Spot cotton 25.15; ;Galveston 25.16: Houston 25.10.

Grain and Provisions

Fort Worth Cash Grain

FORT WORTH, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard 1.78 5-8 84 1-8.
Oats No. 3 white 90 1-2 91 1-2.
Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo per 100 lbs 2.48-61.

Livestock

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 19,000: active, steady: most good and choice barrows and gilts at 14.85 ceiling: sows at 14.10 ceiling: complete early clearance.

Cattle 15,500: calves 1,000: fed steers and yearlings slow, steady; largely steer run: bulk 15.50-17.50: stock cattle very scarce; heifers steady to shade easier; best around 17.00; mixed offerings 17.75; bulk 13.00-16.25; other killing classes mainly steady ;beef bulls 13.75 down; most vealers 13.00-15.50.

Sheep 10,000; slow, scattered early sales steady; good and choice native lambs 15.00-15.25; asking around 15.25 for most good and choice fed wooled westerns, load good 96-lb weights 14.75; load good and choice 137 lb Colorado fed ewes 7.75; load mixed native ewes and bucks 7.50.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of WSCS of First Methodist church will meet in the Educational building tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss LaVerne Hunt of Bryan, former resident of Corsicana, is a member of the Sinfonietta from North Texas State College, Denton, that presented a program at the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts on Sunday afternoon.

Corsicana Boy Scoutes were among the Scouts of Circle 10 Council who collected 2,500,000 pounds of waste paper as one of their leading 1945 war projects.

Courthouse News

Judge A. P. Mays heard two juvenile cases Monday, sentencing one to training school and paroling one to the custody of the mother.

Petit jurors for the sixth week of court, January term are: George P. McPherson, city; E. J. Grantham, Eureka; J. A. Bills, Dawson; W. A. Cox, city; Charles E. Reese, Kerens; H. H. Hollingsworth, Frost; Leon Melton, city; W. C. Montgomery, Eureka; J. B. Bennett, city; Guy Tullos, Frost; Cecil Johnson, Kerens; A. C. Leverman, city; Fritz Kenner, Powell; C. Moore, Roane; O. W. Holmes, City; G. E. Howard, Purdon; A. C. Donoho, city; J. C. Stockard, Frost; A. B. Coates, Kerens; J. M. Hodge, Chatfield; J. B. Reagan, Chatfield; G. W. Kent, Kerens; J. S. North, Kerens; Ernest Brewer, city; Swint Huling, Emhouse; J. C. Blackburn, Kerens; E. E. Ellington, Frost; Sam Armstrong, Frost; T. L. Rogers, Purdon; E. Doyle Ivy, Dawson; J. C. Green, Frost; Roy Thompson, city; Winston Knight, Frost; S. L. Dublin, city; and J. B. Paschall, city.

The jury for the week summoned to report Tuesday, Feb. 5, was excused Monday, according to an announcement Monday afternoon by E. B. Dawson, district clerk.

Justice Court

Judge A. E. Foster accepted a complaint for swindling with a worthless check and a complaint for fornication.

Judge A. E. Foster fined one for driving on the left side of the road, two for vagrancy, one for intoxication, and one for operating a truck that was overwidth.

A complaint for driving while intoxicated was transcripted to the county court. Complaints for theft and swindling with a warthless check were filed.

Judge W. H. Johnson is still confined to his home because of illness.

Judge A. E. Foster fined one for defective lights, two for intoxication, one for vagrancy, and one for driving on the wrong side of the road. Complaints were transcripted to county court for violation of prohibition laws, one for aggravated assault, one for assault with intent to murder, and one for carrying a pistol.

One complaint was filed for driving without a license.

District Clerk's Office.

Irene Russell vs. Ernest Russell, divorce.

Jack Hoffman vs. Helen Hoffman, divorce.

Ola Mae Sykes vs. James D. Sykes, divorce.

Sam Johnson vs. Mrs. Helen Johnson, divorce.

County Court.

Leslie B. Derryberry entered a plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated in county court Saturday and was fined $50 and costs by Judge L. L. Powell.

Jim Cooper, negro, entered a plea of guilty to carrying a pistol and was fined $100 and costs by Judge L. L. Powell Monday.

County Attorney's Office.

A complaint for theft and a complaint for driving while intoxicated were accepted by the county attorney.

Complaints were accepted for two instances of juvenile delinquency, one for violation of prohibition laws, one for carrying a pistol, one for assault with intent to murder, and one for aggravated assault.

Sheriff's Office

Two were arrested on a charge of fornication.

Sheriff C. O. Curington reported the arrest of two for intoxication.

Arrests made over the week end were one for violation of prohibition laws, one for carrying a pistol, one for disturbing the peace and abusive language, one for assault with intent to murder, and one for aggravated assault.

Marriage License.

James Howard Smithey and Johnnie Eva Perkins.

Etignney V. Shipley and Flouis Irene Hollifield.

Dall L. Colley and Mary Ella Johnson.

Warranty Deeds

Freddie Sims to W. F. Dillehay et ux, lots 6 and 7, pats of lots 5 and 8, block 35, Dawson. $400.

Earl G. Fortson et al to Mrs. Emily Pearle Trentman, 1-2 interest, lot 9, block 25, Corsicana. $12-000.

Lee Baldain et ux to Lauraman, lot 4, block K, Blooming Grove. $450.

William Brewster et ux to Lura B. Jones and Alice Mae Jones, part of Jackson Homestead, Corsicana. $450.

Thomas Walter Irwin Jr., et ux to L. S. Beasley, part lot 13, and all of lot 12, block 525-B, Ficklin Addition, and part of lot 5, block 539, Corsicana. $10,000.

Mrs. Lula Worsham to Mrs. Beulah Mitchell, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 3, Barry. $5 and other caluable considerations.

Homer J. Stalling et ux to Arthur Boldin, lots 1-18 inclusive, M. Thummel's Sub-Division, A. Hicks Survey. $3900.

Erman Tyner et ux to Arthur Boldin, lots 2., 24, 47, and 48, M. Thummel's Sub-Division, A. Hicks Survey. $4000.

Phil R. Barham et ux to Johnny Dorwood Pullin, lots 9 and 10, block 12, Blooming Grove. $725.

Willie Moore et al to Dr. H. B. Orr, parts lots 3 and 4, block 212, Corsicana. $600.

R. E. Spence et ux to Clyde W. Gutshall, lot 14, block 457, Corsicana. $1750 and other valuable considerations.

Ollie B. Sloan et vir et al by agent and attorney-in-fact to T. M. Morgan et ux, 158.6 acres E. Ramirez Survey. $750 and other valuable considerations.

H. T. Gilmore et ux to Hugh E. Foster, lot 7, block 430-C, Corsicana, $975 and other valuable considerations.

R. C. Miller et ux to John K. Morrow, part block 21, Bradley Morris and Barron Addition, Richland, $700.

Sam T. Curry et al to Ladora Hollingsworth, 1 acre, J. B. McDaniel survey, $800.

J. W. Graham et ux to W. P. Miller et ux, all of blocks 5, 6, 7, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4 5,10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 4, Navarro, $1,200.

J. B. Freeland et ux., to J. B. Strain, 100 acres, Jefferson Haggerty Survey. $2,184.39 and other valuable considerations.

Carl S. Pritchard et ux to A. D. Pevehouse and T. J. Pevehouse, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, block 2, Forgy Side property, Blooming Grove, $1000.

Miss Josephine Farmer et al to Elmer McCulloch, et ux., 78 1-1 acres, Thomas Wright Survey $1,-850.

Joe H. Farmer et ux to Mrs. Millicent E. Alcorn part 1.23 acres, Rachael White Survey, Corsicana $6,-625.

Ben Smith et ux to L. C. Cook et ux part block 454 1-2, Corsicana, $4,500.

Cleo North et ux to Mrs. Sallie P. Cook, lots 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, block 2, Training School Addition. Blooming Grove $1250.

M. Kamen to W. P. Melton, lot 7B, M. Kames sub-division, A. Shelton Survey, $50.

M. W. Holloway et ux., to S. I. Russell and Mrs. Bessie Russell, parts lots 5 and 6, block 319-D Corsicana $1,650.

Oil And Gas Leases

J. B. Towns Jr., et ux et al to E. A. Showers, 15 acres, James Wishart Survey. $10 and other valuable considerations.

A. E. Payne et al to Joe Cathriner et al, 53.37 acres Peter Jackson survey, $10.

L. A. Driver et ux to Joe Cathriner at al, 30 acres Rufus Charles survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

Will Cooper et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 40 acres Silas H. Walyer survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

M. E. Murray et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 50 acres Silas H. Walker survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

Tom Hardin et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 40 acres Rufus Charles survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

G. M. McCall et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 60 acres, a tract from the estate of W. R. Leetch, $1 and other valuable considerations.

Miss Alma M. Armstrong to Joe Cathriner et al, 96 acres Rufus Charles and John Murphy surveys, $1 and other valuable considerations.

E. M Ganez et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 40 acres Peter Jackson survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

E. U. Pike et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 128.5 acres Peter Jackson survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

H. C. Murray to L. A. Pinkston, 50 acres Jno. Taylor survey, $10.

Clint Price et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 20 acres Evan Lowry survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

A. M. Price et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 140 acres John Murphy and Evan Lowry surveys, $1 and other valuable considerations.

H. Pursley et ux to Joe Cathriner, 50 acres Rufus Charles and Evan Lowry surveys, $1 and other valuable considerations.

K. D. Fursley to Joe Cathriner et al, 30 acres Rufus Charles survey, $1 and other paluable considerations.

W. B. Payne et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 80 acres Rufus Charles survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

Paul Broughton et ux to Joe Cathriner et al, 59 acres Rufus Charles survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

W. A. Cox et ux to Joe Cathriner, 100 acres Jeremiah Latham survey, $10.

Fred M. Copeland et ux to Joe Cathriner, 150 acres Jeremiah Latham survey, $10.

S. B. Comer et al to Joe Cathriner et al, 117 acres Jeremiah Latham survey, $10.

M. W. Robefts et al to Joe Cathriner, 80 acres Peter Jackson survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

W. B. Payne et al to Joe Cathriner et al, 149.7 acres Peter Jackson survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

E. Robinson et ux to R. R. Cocke, 20 acres, D. P. Flint Survey, $10.

First Texas Joint Stock Loan Bank to Carleton D. Speed, Jr., 418.93 acres, Solomno Johnson, Evan Lowry, Elizabeth Scott, Joseph T. Bell and Wilson Reed Surveys, $10.

Edjar J. McCary, et ux, to L. A. Pinkston, 21 acres, William Love Survey $10.

Ned Watson et al. to R. R. Cocke, 18 acres, John Allen and D. P. Flint Surveys, $10.

First Texas Joint Stock Loan Bank to Carleton D. Speed, Jr., 200 acres, more or less, William Cameron Survey, $10.

Assignment of Oil and Gas Leases

J. E. Davant to D. C. Kelton, 1-2 intereest 54 acrs, Lewis Powell Survey. $1 and other valuable considerations.

L. A. Pinkston to R. R. Cocke, part of James Fletcher survey, $1 and other valuable considerations.

Capt. M. P. Shoemaker, who is on terminal leave from the United States army, is in Corsicana with his wife, visiting his mother, Mrs. Annie P. Shoemaker, and his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hedrick.

For Constable Precinct 1:

In another section of this newspaper will be found my formal announcement as a candidate for constable, Precinct 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

With three years experience in law enforcement, I feel that I am qualified to render you an honest and efficient administrtion, and if you see fit to elect me as your constable, it will be my aim to make you the kind of officer that will reflect credit on law enforcement in Navarro county.

For the past four years I have been in business here.

Your vote and influence are solicited, and any consideration will be gratefully appreciated.

JOE W. ALLEN.
(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Legal Notice

NO. 24,386
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: T. E. Varnell—GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petititon at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 25th day of February, A. D. 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Navarro County, at the Court House in Corsicana, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 10th day of January, 1946. The file number of said suit being No. 24,386. The names of the parties in said suit are: Mrs. May V. Walton, P. F. Walton, W. F. Varnell, Mrs. Pearl Ferguson, Mrs. Lida Walton, John Walton, J. E. Varnell, Mrs. Flossie Williams, C. O. Williams, Mrs. Glynn Garrett, Mrs. Eunice Christie and R. D. Christie, as Plaintiffs and T. E. Varnell as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit:

Plaintiffs sue for the partititon of the following described tract of land, alleging that they are the owners of an undivided 8-9ths interest in said land and that the defendant is the owner of an undivided 1-9th interest therein, said land being described as follows:

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land, being 186.143 acres of land, more or less, out of and being parts of the John Sadler Survey (Abs. 785), Saumel Holloway Survey (Abs. 405), Joseph McDougald Survey (Abs. 573), P. W. Fuller Survey (Abs. 287) J. S. Beal Survey (Abs. 103), and the J. J. Wright Survey (Abs. 853) all situated in Navarro County, Texas, about one mile southeast from the Town of Barry and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at an Iron Bar for the Southwest corner of 18.07 acres out of the said Sadler Survey, sold to McCammon and Huskinson, by deed dated December 22, 1890, and the southeast corner of 63; acres, a part of this tract, sold to J. J. Varnell, by deed dated October 2, 1893, the said stake being situated on the South line of the Sadler survey and North line of Polly Kincaid Survey and 461 varas S. 60 W. from the Southeast corner of said 18.7 acres in the South line of the Old Right-o-Way of the Cotton Belt Railroad Hillsboro Branch and 553 varas S. 60 W. from the southeast corner of said Sadler Survey;

THENCE N. 30 deg. 15' W. with the West line of said 18.7 acre tract 443 vrs. to an iron bar for corner on the South line of Old Cotton Belt Railroad Right-of-Way;

THENCE N. 76 W. with South line of Old Cotton Belt Right-of-Way 101.2 vrs. to an iron pipe for corner;

THENCE with an angle of 90 deg. 0 minutes to the right N. 14 E. crossing old right-of-way 38 vrs. to an iron bar for corner in the North line of Old Cotton Belt Railroad right-of-way;

THENCE N. 76 W. with North line of Old Cotton Belt Railroad right-of-way 508.72 vrs. ((1663.1 ft.) to a stake at the beginning of a curve to the left;

THENCE continuing along said North right-of-way line on a curve of 2 degrees to the left, having a radius of 2914.93 ft., around said curve 208.5 vrs. to a stake at the end of curve;

THENCE S. 87 deg. 40' W. with the tangent to said curve and along the North line of Old Cotton Belt Railroad right-of-way, at 90.9 vrs. cross the West line of the Sadler Survey and the East line of he Holloway Survey, in all 578.25 vrs. to an iron bar for the Northwest corner of this tract, in the west line of the Holloway Survey and the East line of the J. H. Kuykendall Survey;

THENCE S. 30 E. with the West line of the Holloway and McDougald Surveys and East line of the Kuykendall Surveys, the fence bears to the west about two feet, at 40.65 vrs. cross the south line of Old railroad right-o-way, at 212.65 vrs., pass southwest corner of the Holloway and Northwest corner of the McDougald Surveys, in all 385.54 vrs. to a stake at angle point in fence;

THENCE S. 37 deg. 20' E. with pasture fence 187.2 vrs. to a stake at angle point in fence;

THENCE S. 58 deg. 49' E. with fence about 108 vrs. and continuing same course in all 150.8 vrs. to a stake at bend 'n old Blooming Grove Road, whence an iron pipe in East fence line of road bears N. 44 deg. 30' E. 20 ft.;

THENCE S. 55 E. with the Old Blooming Grove Road and at 20 ft. from the East fence line of sam ,at 270 vrs. cross the south line of the Fuller and North line of the Beal Surveys, at 515 vrs. cross the south line of the Beal and North line of the Wright Surveys, in all 755 vrs. to a stake in the South line of the Wright Survey which stands in the road S. 60 W. 6.4 vrs. from an Iron Bar for the Southwest corner of the John Sadler Survey;

THENCE N. 60 deg. 07' E. with the South line of the Wright Survey at 6.4 vrs. an Iron Bar and Mesquite 10" dia. stand on line for common corner of the Wright and Sadler Surveys and continuing same course with the South line of the Sadler and North line of the Polly Kincaid Surveys, the fence bears to the north 4 to 8 feet in ll 812.2 vrs. to the Iron Bar in the place of beginning and containing 186.143 acres of land, more or less, and the estimated value of said land is $16,000.00.

ISSUED this the 10th day of January, 1946.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Corsicana, Texas, this the 10th day of January, A. D., 1946.
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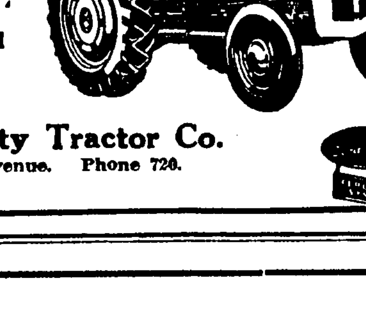
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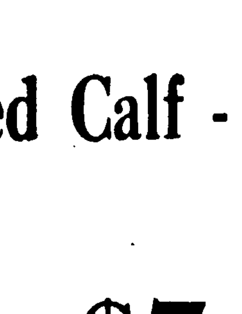
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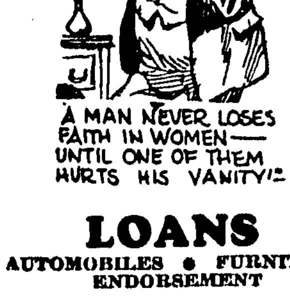


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Political Announcements

FIRST PRIMARY—JULY 27th

Second Primary—August 24th

Names listed below are candidates for the offices designated subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Representative, 58th District:
J. R. Donnell (second term).

For Congress (6th District)
Lynn B. Griffith.
Joe Cowley (Hill county).

For District Clerk.
John C. Hughes.
E. B. Dawson (re-election).
Vivion Walker.
J. C. (Rusty) Gaston.

For County Judge:
Lonnie L. Powell (second term).

For County Attorney:
Charles T. Banister.

For Sheriff:
Robert H. Vaught.
C. O. (Cap) Curington (re-election).
David Castles.

For County Clerk:
Mable (Ellett) Wilkinson, re-election).

For Assessor and Collector of Texas
Halley Blake (re-election).
Mrs. R. B. (Laura Taylor) Mitchell.

For County Superintendent:
J. C. Watson (re-election).
Ernest C. Butler.

For County Treasurer:
D. J. Mathis.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Place 1:
W. H. (Pop) Johnson (2nd term).

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, Place 2:
A. E. Foster (re-election).

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
Jack Megarity (re-election).
T. P. (Pink) Hayes.
J. W. (Watson) Goodwin.

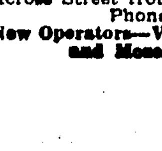
For Commissioner Precinct 2:
Lacy Garrett.
J. O. Sessions.
J. C. (Carl) McMullan.

For Commissioner Precinct 3:
J. D. Mahoney.
Fred M. Copeland (re-election).
C. O. (Charlie) Slaughter.
D. D. Sawyer.

For Commissioner Precinct 4:
J. N. (Joe) George.
Tom Hooser.
B. L. (Beldon) English.
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100 acres black land with fair imp., just off new Waco highway, $55 acre; possession at once.

Modern duplex apartment, four rooms and bath on each side, near Junior High school, $6000.

Pretty modern five room cottage, all conveniences, plenty out-buildings and one acre land in Zion's Rest Addition, $6,000.

Two and one half acres with good two room house, lights in house, other utilities available, near Ficklin Addition, $2750.00.

Nice up to date grocery stock and fixtures, good location, invoice around $4500.

One of the best Cafes in town doing good business, $6000.

322 acre stock farm, fair imp., good fence, on paved highway Henderson county, $30 acre.

Ten acre with pretty, modern 7 room cottage, all conveniences, hardwood floors, nice orchard big tank on paved street in north edge Zions Rest Addition, $8,500.

One acre with lots of fruit trees in Ions Rest Addition, $1000.

Five room cottage West 10th avenue, $3300.

Four acre with six room cottage, all conveniences on West side city, $6300.

Three room house East Side (for colored) $1000.

Block of land with eight room house East 7th avenue suitable for home sites or business, $8000 for all.

One of the prettiest homes with one acre land on Orphans Home road, $8000.

Five room cottage in edge of Jester Place $3,000.00.

Good six room residence West Fourth avenue $5000.

31 acres lite sandy soil, good imp., lights in house, nice pecan orchard, just east of Eureka, $3750.

80 acres mostly grass, good five room house with lights, good barn, good fence, school bus route north Eureka, $3600.

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FOR SALE—105 acres of land, two miles north of Eureka. God house, barn and water. On school bus route and mail route. See L. B. BONNER, Eureka, Tex.

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FOR SALE—650 acre stock farm at Cayuga, northwest part Anderson; 250 cultivation, balance fine pasture; 280 acres in Trinity river bottom protected by recently government-built levee. No levee tax, on oiled highway one mile from Cayuga. $100.00 school plant. Price $20 per acre, or will rent $500 for 1946. ADAM CONE, Palestine, Texas, Phone 298.

FARM FOR SALE—100 acres well set in bermuda grass, will make an ideal stock farm, one mile off of concrete road. Tank and well of water, large house, sandy land; on mail and school bus route, $40 per acre. See FRED E. THOMPSON on Highway 287 south of Mildred High School 1 1-2 miles.

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155 acres, 10 miles S. Dallas, Dallas-Waco interurban runs through farm, Stop Wayne. Gravel road on S. side of farm. Good 5-room frame house, 2 barns, smokehouse and garage. Electricity. Terms if desired.

185 acres good mixed land, 64 acres cultivation, 121 pasture. Nice six room house, upground cistern, water piped in kitchen, 3 wells, 3 tanks. Electricity. Good barn, large chicken house, 3 small chicken houses, double garage and smokehouse. Pasture fenced and cross fenced. 15 bearing paper shell pecan trees. Located 7 1-2 miles N. Corsicana, 1 mile off hard surface road. Price 60.00 per acre.

91 acres mixed land 3 miles N. Corsicana, 28 acres cultivation, balance pasture. 4 room house, barn in fair condition. Underground cistern. Priced to sell. Terms if desired.

149 acres located new Highway 31. 30 acres pasture, balance cultivation. Good 5 room house, electricity, good barn. Terms if desired.

148.6 acres sandy land. 60 acres cultivation, balance in pasture and timber, 100 pecan trees, small orchard, 2 wells, two tanks, all fenced and crossed fenced. 5 room house, large barn and other outbuildings. Price 50.00 per acre.

176 acres, 2 miles N. Corsicana on hard surfaced road. Good improvements.

158 acres blanckland—148 acres cultivation, 10 in pasture. Good 4 room house, fair barn, garage, chickenhouse, underground cistern, good tank. Located on highway 22 west of Frost.

145 1-2 acres blackland, 1 1-2 miles W. Hillsboro on gravel road. 15 acres pasture, balance cultivation. Good six room house, barn, good well water piped in house. Electricity. Priced $65.00 per acre.

Service Station doing big oil and gas business. Oil truck, pickup, building equipment and stock. Located on Highway 22 in good small town.

Nice grocery and market.

City Property and Other Real Estate for Sale. List Your Property With Us for Quick Sale. Long Term Loans at 4 per cent. No. Extra Charge.

HARRIS AND GEORGE
601 State National Bank Building
Corsicana, Texas.

Surburban Property 51

FOR SALE

Grocery store and filling station paying over $300 per month.

Nice 6 room house and one acre of land on a concrete road in a good country town, all conveniences. Price $5,500.

175 acres well located and improved, 135 acres sheep proof pasture, 40 acres cultivated. Priced to sell.

100 acres near Groesbeck, 90 acres good land in cultivation. Price $65—$1200 cash. 25 barrel oil well on adjoining farm.

D. C. GATLIN
Rice, Rt. 1 (Tupelo).

Rentals

Miscellaneous for Rent 42

FOR RENT—We have two places to rent on the halves. Well located on Highway 75, 5 miles south of Rice. This is very fine land. Large family of workers preferred. Apply FORTSON BROS., 115 W. 4th Ave.

City Property 49

FOR SALE—One block of land in Richland. Call 104 Richland, Texas.

FOR SALE—A four room house with sleeping porch, fruit orchard and blackberry patch; also four acres of land. Priced to sell See CLEO NORTH at Blooming Grove, Texas.

Used Cars

Automobiles for Sale 57

FOR SALE THIS WEEK—41 Olds Deluxe, dealer's ceiling, 41 Plymouth, dealers' ceiling, 36 Lincoln Coupe, $500, 34 Ford $200, 35 Chevrolet, $225, 37 Olds radio and heater, $675, 40 Ford, private owned, 29 Ford Coupe, $165. We will buy from 35 to 41.—McMILLAN, 511 N. Commerce.

I WISH TO THANK my friends and customers for the good business that you have given the Radio Repair Shop during the year 1945. We employ the best radio mechanics and are better prepared to serve our customers as we have a good stock of radio parts and tubes. We will give you radio service unequaled at moderate prices. We pay highest cash prices for old electric or battery radios. See me at RADIO REPAIR SHOP, 218 West 5th Avenue, Joe E. Daniel, Corsicana, exas.

FOR SALE—Two door 1937 Plymouth, 5 good tires, driven not over 10,000 miles since new engine installed. A. H. HODGE, Eureka, Texas.

Hot Radiators

A hot radiator keeps your motor from performing as it should. We clean out all makes and models to make them run cool.

If it's the radiator, we can fix it.

A. M. DONOHO & SON
221 W. 7th Avenue. Phone 166.

Announcements

Lost or Strayed 3

LOST—IOOF Encampment Militant Ritual near Drane Community Friday. Finder please return to Daily Sun Office or IOOF Hall, Corsicana.

LOST—Wednesday on the Tupelo pike, one mud chain for 6.50x16 tire, G. W. WEEMS, 750 West 9th Ave. Phone 1290.

LOST OR STRAYED—One female bird dog (pointer), white with lemon spots. Last seen Saturday near Purdon. Reward. Call or write ELTON SKINNER, Purdon, Tex.

Wanted 7

WANTED—A family for farm work and share crop; must have good reference and can operate tractor. Have good land. See A. J. FULTON at Hillsboro, Route 4.

WANTED to lease 200 to 500 acre pasture by reliable local man. Write T. T., care P. O. Box 622, Corsicana.

Livestock

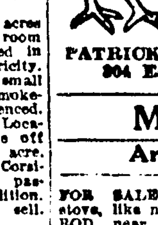
Baby Chicks 25

WHY NOT come to headquarters for Buff Leghorn Baby Chicks? We produce and hatch our own eggs. We do no custom hatching, so there is no danger of getting mixed chicks. We have specialized in Buff Leghorns for 27 years. Book your orders now for chicks to be delivered when you want them. We take off a hatch every Monday. GOLDEN GLOW FARM, 4 miles west of Corsicana, just off Highway 22. F. P. McCuleton, Phone 9016-F5.

OUR HATCHERY is now open. We do custom hatching. Bring your eggs any time that is convenient and they will be set at earliest date. Setting once a week. Call ROBERTS HATCHERY. Phone 1077 for your baby chicks, poultry, supplies, remedies and feeds. Roberts and Son Hatchery, 2000 West Second avenue, Corsicana.

BABY CHICKS — THOUSANDS WEEKLY —from bloodtested breeding stock. Buff Leghorns, White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns, White Rocks, Barred Rocks, White Wyandottes, R. I. Reds, Parmenter Reds, New Hampshire Reds, Hybrids and heavy mixed. All breeds offered are from the best bloodlines obtainable. We are booking more orders for Spring delivery than ever before. We suggest that you place your order now, for the date you prefer. Complete line of REMEDIES—FEEDS—SUPPLIES. CORSICANA HATCHERY AND POULTRY FARM, 2 1-2 miles south on old Waco Hi-Way 31, P. O. Box 1422, Corsicana, Texas.

BABY CHICKS and Started Chicks every day. Can fill your orders at any time. Will have baby beef turkey poults first hatch March 11th at reasonable prices. All chicks and turkey poults from stock of known quality, all 100 per cent bloodtested hatch in all-electric incubators, automatic controlled, operated by experienced operators. Bring us your custom hatching, both chicken and turkey eggs. Bring them any day. We will take care of them. We have plenty of capacity to take care of all. We will have the following breeds of baby chicks: W-Leghorn, Brown Leghorn, Buff Leghorn, R. I. Reds, N. Hampshire Reds, Barred Rocks, White Rocks, Buff Rocks, White Wyandottes, Black Giants. Also Austro White Hybrid. Complete line of feeds, Full-O-Pep and Egg-A-Day. Poultry Supplies and Remedies; also all Vaccines for poultry and turkeys. BURROSS HATCHERY AND FEED, Corsicana, Texas, 301 East Collin St. Phone 104.



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You'll like our quality chicks, hatched right from selected flocks. Hardy, fast growers. Low price.
PATRICK FLOUR & FEED CO.
304 East 7th. Phone 432.

Merchandise

Articles for Sale 30

FOR SALE—Tappan butane gas cook stove, like new. Bargain. See WAYNE ELROD, near Bryan School.

FOR SALE—Seven rabbits and one large double pen for $10. Phone 2233, or see MRS. CLYDE HEIFNER, Orphans Home road.

FOR SALE

We have 50 gallon barrels, iron drums suitable for storing feed, also heavy iron bbls suitable for storing oil., etc., glass gallon jugs and hundreds of tin buckets suitable for syrup. Bottles in 4 bottle cartons, buckets six to carton. Get your supplies now while available. CORSICANA DR. PEPPER BOTTLING CO., 419 North Beaton St., Corsicana.

FOR SALE—25 cords four foot oak, elm and hackberry wood at the stump or delivered. 500 bales hegari, sorghum or Johnson grass hay at barn. Located at Cheneyboro, Texas, 14 miles south of Corsicana, W. M. DAVIDSON. Phone 1925.

FOR SALE—One good 5 room house to be moved off of property. Can be seeen on highway at Eureka. For information see J. A. PENNEY, 110 East 6th avenue, Corsicana. Price $1000.00.

RADIO BATTERIES
See G. W. WATKINS, Route 2, Corsicana, Emhouse Road.

Miscellaneous for Sale 33

WE HAVE one John Deere H tractor for sale, one John Deere 2 row planter, one John Deere 2 row cultivator for sale. J. A. PENNEY IMPLEMENT CO., 110 East 6th Ave., Corsicana, Texas.

LIMITED amount of Butane gas tanks and appliances at H. and H. Butane Gas Tanks Appliance Store. Moved to 1009 South 7th Street, Corsicana.

Radio and Musical 34

FOR SALE—Table model battery radio with new A B Pack battery; also table model electric Philco radio both in first class condition. We also have a new stock of electric and battery tubes. RADIO REPAIR SHOP, 218 West 5th Avenue.

Seed, Feed Implements 35

HAY FOR SALE—1000 bales prairie 50c per bale; 500 bales of cane 50c per bale; 400 bales Johnson grass 30c per bale. All hay stored in barn, never been rained on. ALDINE MOORE, Route 1, Frost, Texas. Phone 4252 Irene, Texas.

FOR SALE—300 bales sorghum hay for sale. See R. M. FULTON on O. L. McCrory's farm near Emhouse, Texas.

FOR SALE—1939 Allis-Chalmers tractor with equipt., rubber power lift. Everything first class; also 38 Ford pickup and 31 Ford 1 1-2 ton truck. All at 2120 W. 3rd Ave. Phone 1593-J.

FOR SALE—Two-ton Cultivator, Planter and Single Row Buster. All in good condition. A. B. BROWN, Frost.

FOR SALE—V. C. Case Tractor, 40 model, rubber, lights and starter, with equipment. EMIL HULUBAR, Ennis, Tex., Route 3.

FOR SALE—Model B John Deere Tractor with all equipment. CALVIN RICH, Route 1, Barry, Texas.

FOR SALE—Farmall 12, fully equipped and power lift. Also breaking plow in good condition. HERCHEL WADE, 8 miles west of Frost, Milford, R. 1.

FOR SALE—200 bales bright cane hay, 60 cents per bushel at the barn, 1 1-2 miles south of Mildred High School, on highway 287. FRED E. THOMPSON.

WE STILL HAVE some good used farming equipment for sale. We are also taking orders for the new universal Jeep which we are dealers for and will have shipment in soon. J. A. PENNEY IMPLEMENT Co., 110 East 6th Avenue, Corsicana.

FOR SALE—Oliver 70 Tractor on rubber all around, two row equipment. Late 30 model. L. B. MAHONEY at Emhouse, Texas.

Ninety Corsicana school children will be in Dallas on Satudday morning at 11 o'clock to hear the first young people's concert by the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, which will be presented at Fair Park Auditorium, with Antal Dorati conducting.

OFFICE TO SERVE VETERANS HAS BEEN OPENED CORSICANA

LOCATED IN STATE NATIONAL BANK BUILDING; REEDER IN CHARGE

Robert C. Reeder, contact representative of the Veterans' Administration, opened permanent offices in Room 208 in the State National Bank building Wednesday.

Serving as secretary in the new offices is Miss Mildred Davis of Dawson. Adequate furniture and supplies were found for the new unit, however, Reeder expects additional office supplies in the near future.

Formerly associated with the postoffice department in Corsicana, Reeder is a former naval serviceman. Leaving here in August, 1945, he attended the Veterans' Administration training school in Waco, after which he served at Camp Fannin as a guidance representative in the separation center.

Serves Four Counties.

Coming to Corsicana on Jan. 4, he opened temporary contact unit offices in the USES. The local unit serves Limestone, Freestone, Ellis and Navarro counties. Offices in the State National Bank building became available this week for the permanent home.

"Purpose of the unit is to render every assistance to discharged members of the armed forces and their dependents, to obtain benefits to which they may be entitled under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration," Reeder stated Friday.

The unit will furnish assistance pertinent to medical, hospitalization and domiciliary care, compensation and pension, vocational rehabilitation training, education, guarantee of loans, readjustment allowances, insurance and other benefits to which the veteran or his dependents are entitled.

Insurance Conversion.

An invaluable aid to the veteran will be the simplicity of conversion or reinstatement of National Service life insurance. The contact unit has all forms necessary for the transaction and will guide the veteran in the required steps. Final cost and setting of premiums will come from national headquarters.

Employers interested in the "On the Job" training program can contact the new officer for full particulars. Reeder emphasized that the contact unit does not provide veterans for the jobs, but rather the employer chooses the veteran. All business men interested in this apprenticeship training are urged to call or some to the contact unit

JOHN HINES BURIED AT BLOOMING GROVE MONDAY AFTERNOON

BLOOMING GROVE, Feb. 4.—(Spl.)—Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Baptist church for John Hines, aged 76 years, who died at his farm home near town Saturday night. The rites were conducted by Rev. Charlie Hall, pastor, assisted by Rev. A. L. Chumbley, pastor of the Central Baptist church. Interment was in the Dresden cemetary.

Surviving are two sons, a brother and a number of nieces and nephews.

Hines was a native Texan. For many years he operated a ranch at Floydada, Texas, returning to his farm here several years ago.

Pallbearers were J. E. Walker, G. D. Gillen, E. J. Glenn, C. P. Lynch, Henry Allison and Claude Ring, the same pallbearers which served at the funeral of Mrs Hines who died here June 9, last year.

McCormick Funeral service directed.

Dr. Sloan Observes His 88th Birthday

Dr. Hugh Sloan celebrated his 88th birthday Saturday at his home in Rice. No special celebration was planned, although a number of friends visited him and sent him birthday cards.

Dr. Sloan, a practicing physician more than 50 years, retired two years ago.

20,000 GI's Due To Reach Ports; Aboard 32 Ships

By The Associated Press.

Twenty thousand GI's are due to reach one East and five West Coast ports today aboard 32 transport vessels.

At New York.

Howard Kelly from Marseilles, troops including companies E G, and M of 399th infantry regiment.

Zanesville Victory from Le Havre, 390th field artillery battalion; quartermaster company, 794th ordnance maintenance company, 94th signl company of 94th division; WACs.

Pomona Victory from Southampton, 347th station hospital; 450th ordnance heavy auto maintenance company; 512 ordnance medium auto maintenance company; 627th ordnance ammunition company; 479th ordnance evacuation company; 342nd ordnance depot company.

Blue Ridge Victory from Marseilles, 3259th signal service company; 403rd quartermaster truck company; 4034th quartermaster truck company.

Miscellaneous on Ann Bradstreet from Marseilles, Joel C. Harris from Antwerp, Wayeross Victory from Le Havre, A. Hamilton from Casablanch, Thomas Paine from Leghorn, William Byrd from Birkenhead, Boyen from Canal Zone.

At San Francisco.

Miscellaneous on attack transport Cortland, submarines Bugara, Bumper, Sabezon and Chub, minesweeper YMS 286, YMS 281 and LCI's 104, 65; 617, 367, 42, 43 and 67.

At Los Angeles.

James O'Hara from Saipan.

At Seattle.

Hermitage from Nagoya.

At Portland.

Marine Robin from Calcutta.

Training Schools For Food Handlers

Training schools for food handlers are being conducted in many sections of Texas in a vigorous campaign to elevate the state health level by preventing the spread of communicable diseases which might be transmitted by foods, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

"Food handlers are being taught the sanitary methods of preparing, handling and serving foods for public consumption," Dr. Cox said. "Actual experience has shown that an insanitary eating establishment is one of the surest sources of spreading infection."

The training schools consist of elementary courses in bacteriology, communicable diseases, medical zoology, foods, disinfection, sterilization, personal hygiene and sanitation.

Annual Report Of County Attorney

J. C. Roe, county attorney, filed his annual fee report in the office of the district clerk, showing total net fees earned and collected as $9,652.95, and authorized deductions as $9,470.88.

State fees shown were from the state comptroller, amounting to $2,721.20 earned, all of which was collected.

Other fees itemized were those in criminal (misdemeanor) cases in county court (sheriff) as $908.55 earned, all collected; in justice courts $5,583.20 earned, all collected; fees in lunacy cases $250, all collected, and one-half of fees where defendant laid out in jail as $100, all collected. Total earned fees were $9,652.95, all of which was collected.

Authorized deductions were salaries of deputies and assistants, $4,500; premium on surety bonds, $12.50; stationery and office supplies, $76.02; telephone and telegraph, $156.11; postage, $40; traveling expenses, $36.25, and officer salary, $4,750. Total authorized deductions amounted to $9,570.68.

CorsicanaIOOF Lodge Gives $500 For Home

Corsicana Lodge No. 63, IOOF, voted $500 Thursday night toward the rehabilitation program for the IOOF Home here.

The third degree was conferred on three candidates from Corsicana and five from Hillsboro. The Hillsboro delegation was headed by H. L. Bobbitt, trustee of the grand lodge, IOOF of Texas, for a number of years.

WALLIE LEVY AGAIN NAMED CHAIRMAN OF RED CROSS DRIVE

COUNTY QUOTA SET AT $16,500; CAMPAIGN STARTS MARCH 1ST

W. B. (Wallie) Levy will head the 1946 Red Cross Fund in Navarro county, according to announcement Saturday by J. N. Garitty, chairman, Navarro County Chapter, American Red Cross.

The county quota this year is $16,500 as compared with a quota of $32,500 last year. However, the quota last year was far oversubscribed with a total of $45,000 being contributed.

The national quota for 1946 is 100 million dollas as compared with 200 million dollars last year. The campaign starts March 1, and will continue through that month.

Levy stated that 48.5 percent of this year's quota, or $8,000, will remain in Navarro county to care for the expenses of the local chapter. National will get $8,500.

Expressing confidence that the citizenship will again oversubscribe the quota, Levy said that he was very appreciative of the sincere and wholehearted cooperation received in past campaigns. "Without this loyal and patriotic support the task could have been a very difficult one, but the willingness of the workers, the enthusiasm and liberality of the contributors has made the work of the chairman a very pleasant responsibility," Levy said.

This will be the sixth time Levy has headed the drive to secure Red Cross funds.

County and city organization along with quotas for each community will be announced within the next few days, the chairman said.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY FOR M. E. YOUNG, WHO DIED SUNDAY

M. E. Young, aged 81 years, long-time resident, died at the family home, 1802 West First avenue, Sunday.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Corley Chapel. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. W. O. Harmon, minister of the First Christian church.

Surviving are his wife of Corsicana a daughter, Mrs. Jack Aiken, Houston; a son, Elmer Young, Dallas; two granddaughters and two great-granddaughters.

Pallbearers were E. H. Bottoms, W. M. Simpson, L. L. Temple, John Burross Hubert Whitten and Albert Fullerton.

Report Filed By Justice Of Peace

The annual fee report of R. A. Edens, justice of the peace, precinct 2 has been filed with the district clerk, showing a net total of earned fees of $40.00, all collected.

Listed were state fees in felony cases—$7.50 earned and collected. Other fees itemized were in misdemeanor cases—$2.50, all collected fees from inquest proceedings—$10, all collected; fees miscellaneous and certified copies $6.50, all colected; and vital statistics—$13.50, all collected. Total earned and collected—$40.00.

Episcopal Minister To Address Lions

Rev. Robert Kennaugh, Episcopal minister, will be the principal speaker at the regular Tuesday noon meeting of the Lions Club at the Navarro Hotel. The meeting starts promptly at 12:10 o'clock. The program committee for Tuesday is composed of J. F. Adams and George Calder.

Boy Scout Meeting.

A boy Scout board of review will be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening, February 12, in the YMCA, according to K. R. Blackwell, chairman of the board of review.

All Scoutmasters and troops who have boys ready for first and second class and merit badge promotions are asked to be present.

SICK AND CONVALESCENT
P. and S. Hospital.

Chester Martin is a medical patient.

Mrs. Milton Baker of Frost is a medical patient.

Jerry York underwent an appendectomy Saturday.

Mrs. S. H. Brewer, Corsicana Route 4, is a medical patient.

Corsicana Hospital and Clinic.

Rev. George Smith is a medical patient.

KERENS LEGISLATOR CENSURES AWARD OF DSM TO GEN. CLARK

KERENS, Texas, Feb. 4.—(AP)—State Senator James E. Taylor of Kerens, who fought with the 36th Division at Salerno, called the presentation of the Navy's Distinguished Service Medal to Gen. Fahk W. Clark Saturday an apparent attempt to cover up and whitewash the Rapido River operation.

Clark, in Vienna, received the DSM for his "determined and aggressive" handling of the Salerno landing and for his direction of the Anzio Beachhead operation. At their recent reunion in Brownwood, 36th Division members asked a congressional investigation of the unit's ill-fated crossings of the Rapido River in Italy.

"The belated award of the Navy's Distinguished Service Medal to Mark W. Clark just at the time when investigation of his efficiency and fitness to command is under consideration appears to be nothing more than an attempt to cover up and whitewash the Rapido River operation," Taylor, a former lieutenant colonel, said.

"The landing at Salerno was made Sept. 9, 1943. Two years and five months later the Navy at long last decides that his part in the operation should be recignized. It was the Alamo-like courage and bulldog determination of the hundreds of Texas farm boys, cow hands and shoe clerks of the 36th Division, civilian soldiers trained in the Texas National Guard without ever having seen inside the officers club at West Point, that made secure the first Allied beachhead on Hitler's fortress of Europe at Salerno.

"It was not the brilliant planning or inspired leadership of General Clark, sitting safely offshore on a con mand ship, but the courage and heroic leadership of Maj. Gen. Fred L. Walker, who commanded and personally directed the 36th on the beaches while the issue was in the balance, that should be rewarded."

JAPS TO BE FORCED TO MAKE PLOWSHARES OF STEEL FROM GUNS

By ROY ROBERTS

TOKYO, Feb. 4.—(AP)—General MacArthur's headquarters today announced organization of a Japanese non-profit committee for converting to civilian use more than 2,000,000 of steel from the beaten nation's armaments.

The committee, organized at a recent conference of American military government officers and Japanese steel markers is charged with collecting and smelting all scrap metal and weapons into ingots and diverting the steel into reconstruction channels.

Committee Chairman T. Komatsu, who once represented Japanese steel interests in the United States, said the scrap included material—which can be converted to civilian use without modification.

The primary aim of the program, which is expected to require 12 to 18 months, is to make available for reconstruction all metal that can be reclaimed within Japan's boundaries. Other sources of scrap are closed to the nation's industry.

Col. R. J. Ballard, economics officer of the Eighth Army military government section, said that Japan's coal production by March 1 "will be brought up to 1,500,000 tons per month—enough to meet minimum requirements for essential industries."

District President Speaker Streetman PTA Recent Session

Mrs. J. K. Bradley of Rice, president of the 12th District, Parent-Teacher Association, addressed a special session of the Streetman PTA recently.

Following Mrs. Bradley's informative discussion, a social hour was held, with Mrs. Gordon Grazzard and Mrs. Pat Cooper as hostesses.

First Boat-Load Of GI British Brides Reaches New York

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—(AP)—Storm-tossed and tired, but radiant with anticipation, the first group of "British brides"—English women who married American soldiers during the war—reached New York today on the army transport, Argentina, after a nine-day nightmare voyage across the North Atlantic.

A total of 451 women and 175 children were aboard the ship which docked shortly before 6 a. m. (CST.)

The wives ranged in age from Mrs. Ben F. Butler, 16, to Mrs. Harold N. Cooper, 44.

With her 13-months old daughter, Mrs. Butler wes en route to Roanoke Rapids, N. C. Mrs. Cooper and her daughter, 17, by a previous marriage, and son, 15 months, by the present one, was rejoining her husband in Manhattan Beach, Calif.

Thirty of the women were expectant mothers.

Three literally risked their lives to make the voyage. They were in advanced stages of pregnacy, and when the Argentina encountered the first of several record-breaking starms, they were confined to the ship's hospital under constant observation by army doctors and nurses.

The brides came from England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales and Malta. They were restined for homes in 44 different states.

84 Marriages and 57 Divorce Suits

Monthly records of county offices show that eighty-four marriage licenses were issued to out number again suits filed for divorce.

District Clerk's records ended the month of January with fifty seven civil suits filed, of which fifty were divorces.

Arersts for the month according to figures from the sheriff's office, totalled fifty three.

C. W. ALLEN OF HILLSBORO DIES MONDAY MORNING

C. W. Allen, aged 65 years, lifelong resident of Hillsboro, died in the Boyd hospital in Hillsboro at 11:30 o'clock Monday morning following a several days illness with pneumonia.

Funeral services will be held from the Marshall and Marshall chapel Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. George Miller as teacher. All interested woman are cordially invited to attend.

The newly-organized Bible Study Club will meet in the Alathean classroom at the First Baptist church on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. George Miller as teacher. All interested woman are cordially invited to attend.

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More Headaches for the Farmer

Once more the farmer is being asked to break all food production records. To plow more acres, feed more livestock and harvest more crops than ever before. He is being asked to do this so that America may continue to feed and clothe the needy throughout the world as well as our own folks at home.

To carry out this job the farmer must have tools of production. Most of those he owns have taken a terrific beating. They can't be tied together much longer with rusty fence wire.

In the teeth of this situation, the farmer ran into a strike in the steel industry---a strike which hit at the heart of food production.

When the steel plants shut down, manufacturers of farm machinery and equipment, farm trucks and tractors cannot get steel for their products.

This year the farmer won't receive as many of the replacments he desperately needs. He'll fight ahead with his old, broken machinery trying to crack another food production record, but the cards are stacked against him.

All this means more headaches for the farmer---loss of vital food production, and a bad dent in his pocketbook

Facts Too Frequently Omitted

The steel strike was called by the United Steelworkers of America---CIO, which insists on a wage increase totaling $166,000,000. The U. S. Steel Corporation has offerd a wage rise which if applied throughout the industry would amount to $135,000,000.

Steel workers are already among the highest paid wage-earners in America. Before the strike their average earnings were approximately $1.16 an hour, $9.26 a day and $46.32 a week---on a forty-hour week. The U. S. Steel offer would have given them about $1.31 an hour, $10.46 a day and $52.32 a week. But they refused it, and accused the steel industry of conspiring to ruin the union with an offered wage increase of $25 a month, the highest increase in the industry's history.

The strike is a direct violation of the contract between the union and the steel companies. The union wanted a long-term contract and got it. The union agreed not to strike during the life of the contract. Yet, the union struck on January 21.

Fighting for a Way of Life

Farmers have a big stake in continuous steel production. They have an opportunity to say what they think about unchecked labor monopolies which bring to a stop the nation's recovery efforts, through excessive wage demands which could only add to inflation and cause soaring prices.

Not until enough of them protest unfair, dictatorial actions and urge proper safeguards against arrogant, heedless union leadership and one-sided labor laws will the country get back to sane, profitable production where everyone works together toward a better standard of living

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